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POLYTECHNIC HIGH SCHOOL
FORT WORTH, TEXAS

PARROT

DEDICATION

THROUGH THE MINDS OF SOME FILTER DREAMS OF GREAT PROJECTS, GOLDEN-TINTED FUTURES, AND NEW AND UNREACHED HORIZONS, BUT THEY ARE ONLY DREAMERS. SOME ARE HEROES, WILLING TO FIGHT FOR THEIR IDEALS. OTHERS ARE BUILDERS AND LEADERS, WILLING TO TAKE DREAMS AND FIT THEM INTO A WORKING SCHEME. ONCE IN A WHILE THERE IS ONE WHO DREAMS, BUILDS, AND LEADS — "ONE WHO DREAMS A DREAM, THEN BUILDS THAT DREAM INTO A REALITY, AND WISELY DIRECTS THE CHILD TO WHICH HIS DREAMS AND WORK HAVE GIVEN LIFE."

POLYTECHNIC HAS BEEN BLESSED WITH SUCH A MAN. ALL OF US LOVE POLYTECHNIC, EACH OF US SERVES HER ACCORDING TO HIS TALENT, AND NONE OF US NEED YIELD PLACE TO ANOTHER IN LOYALTY AND ZEAL. BUT TO SOME IT IS GIVEN, FROM TIME TO TIME, TO RENDER A GREATER SERVICE, AND THE 1941 PARROT STAFF CONSIDERS IT A RIGHT AND A PRIVILEGE TO DEDICATE THIS, OUR ANNUAL, TO

MR. G. L. AUSMUS

FOREWORD

THE GROWING FEELING OF NATIONAL UNITY AND THE SPIRIT OF PATRIOTISM WHICH HAS BEEN STIRRED WITHIN THE HEART OF EVERY AMERICAN WARRANTS THE THEME OF THE 1941 PARROT. THE PRIDE OF THE AMERICAN IS THE PILGRIM, THE SETTLER, THE PIONEER — THE BUILDERS OF THIS GREAT NATION — WHO RISKED THEIR LIVES FOR AN INSPIRED DREAM AND DARED MAKE CHRISTIAN DEMOCRACY A REALITY. THE AIM OF THE STUDENT OF TODAY—THE BUILDER OF TOMORROW—IS TO CARRY ON THE STEPS OF PROGRESS AND TO PRESERVE AND ENDEAR THE BLESSINGS OF DEMOCRACY WITH THE SAME COURAGE AND CONVICTION OF HIS FOREFATHERS.

MAY THE EVENTS OF THE PAST YEAR, ACHIEVEMENTS, AND SUCCESSES OF OUR SCHOOL AND ITS BUILDERS, PICTURED HEREIN, BRING TO YOU JOY AND IN THE YEARS TO COME PROVE TO BE YOUR MORE TREASURED MEMORIES.

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FOR AMBER WAVES OF GRAIN,
FOR PURPLE MOUNTAIN MAJESTIES
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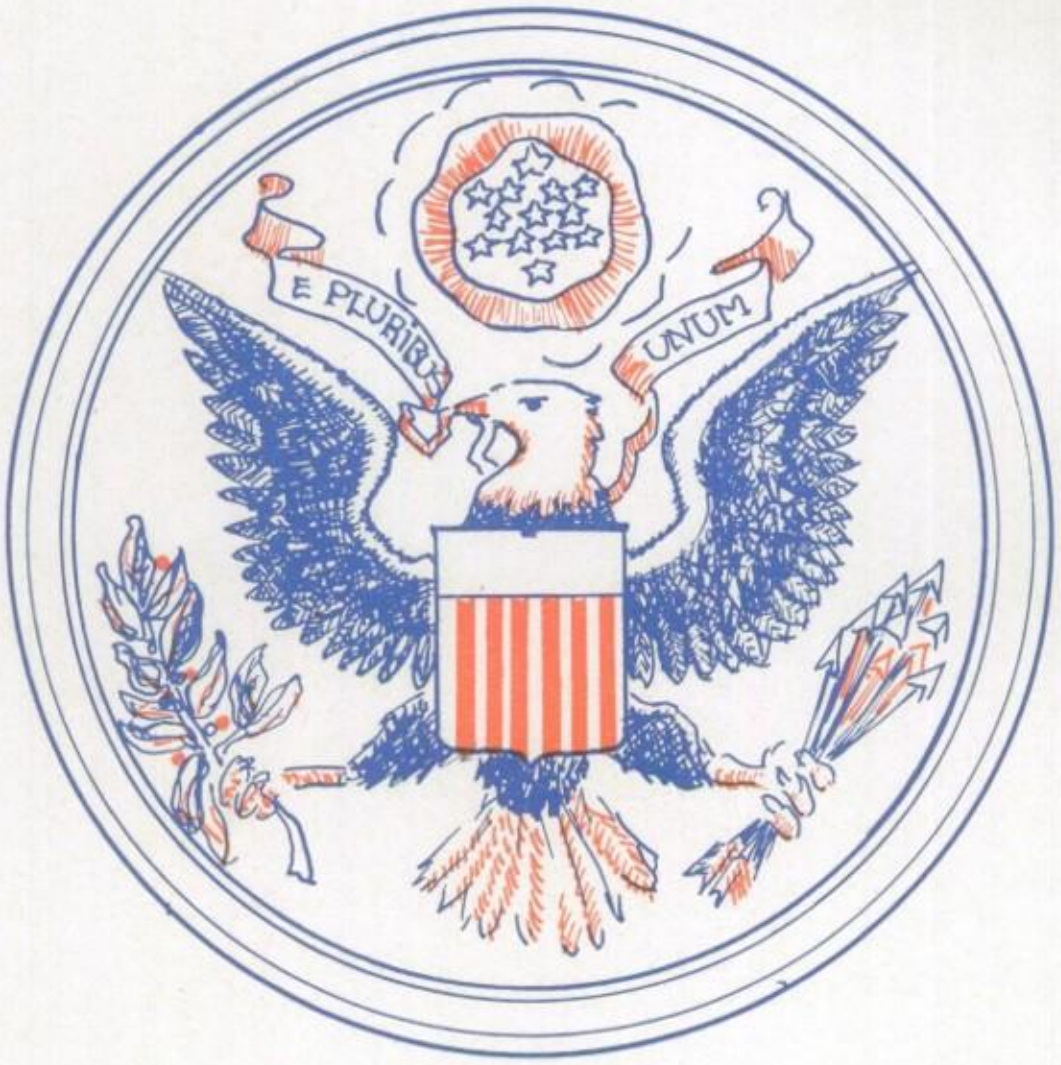
AMERICA! AMERICA!
GOD SHED HIS GRACE ON THEE
AND CROWN THY GOOD WITH BROTHERHOOD
FROM SEA TO SHINING SEA!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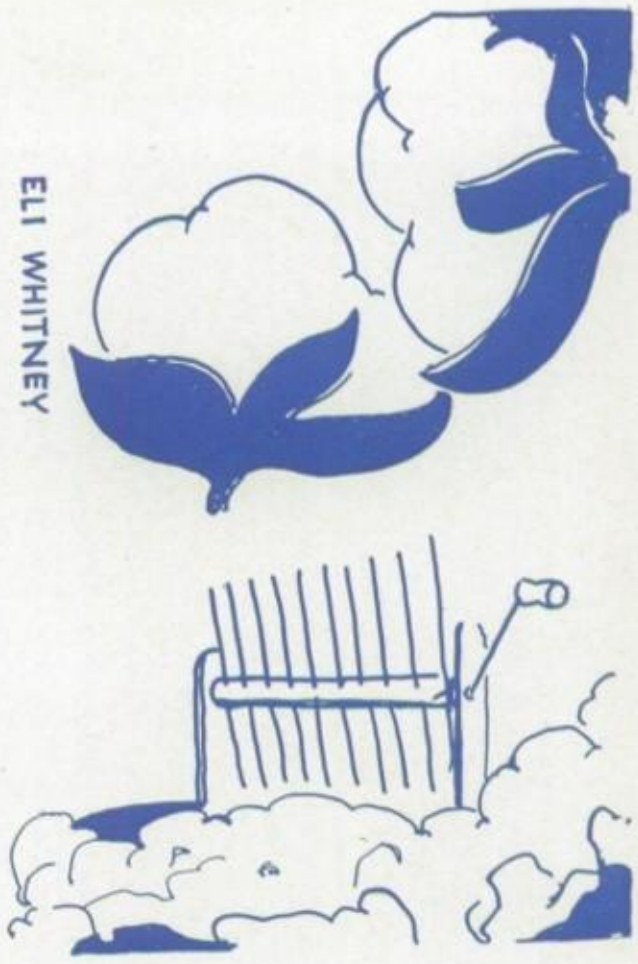
J. R. MUSE

OUR SCHOOL

HIGH ON A HILL, POISED, GRACEFUL, AND SERENE, STANDS OUR SCHOOL. THE COMMANDING VIEW SHE HOLDS OF THE CITY OF FORT WORTH GIVES HER THE AIR OF A SENTINEL WATCHING THE MANEUVERS OF A VAST ARMY BELOW. TO THOSE WHO HAVE PASSED THROUGH HER HALLS AND JOINED THE RANKS SHE IS AN IDEALISTIC FOSTER PARENT EVER WATCHFUL OF THEIR LIVES, PROUD AND HAPPY AT THEIR SUCCESSES, DEJECTED AT THEIR FAILURES AND FOLLIES . . . ALWAYS INTERESTED, ALWAYS HOPEFUL. TO THOSE OF US WHO LINGER IN HER HALLS SHE IS AN IDEAL AND AN INSPIRATION TO OUR DAILY ENDEAVORS. MAY THE HOURS WE ARE YET TO SPEND IN HER HALLS BE FILLED WITH HER PRAISE AND THE LIVES WE SHAPE AFTER GRADUATION BE A CREDIT TO HER IDEALS.



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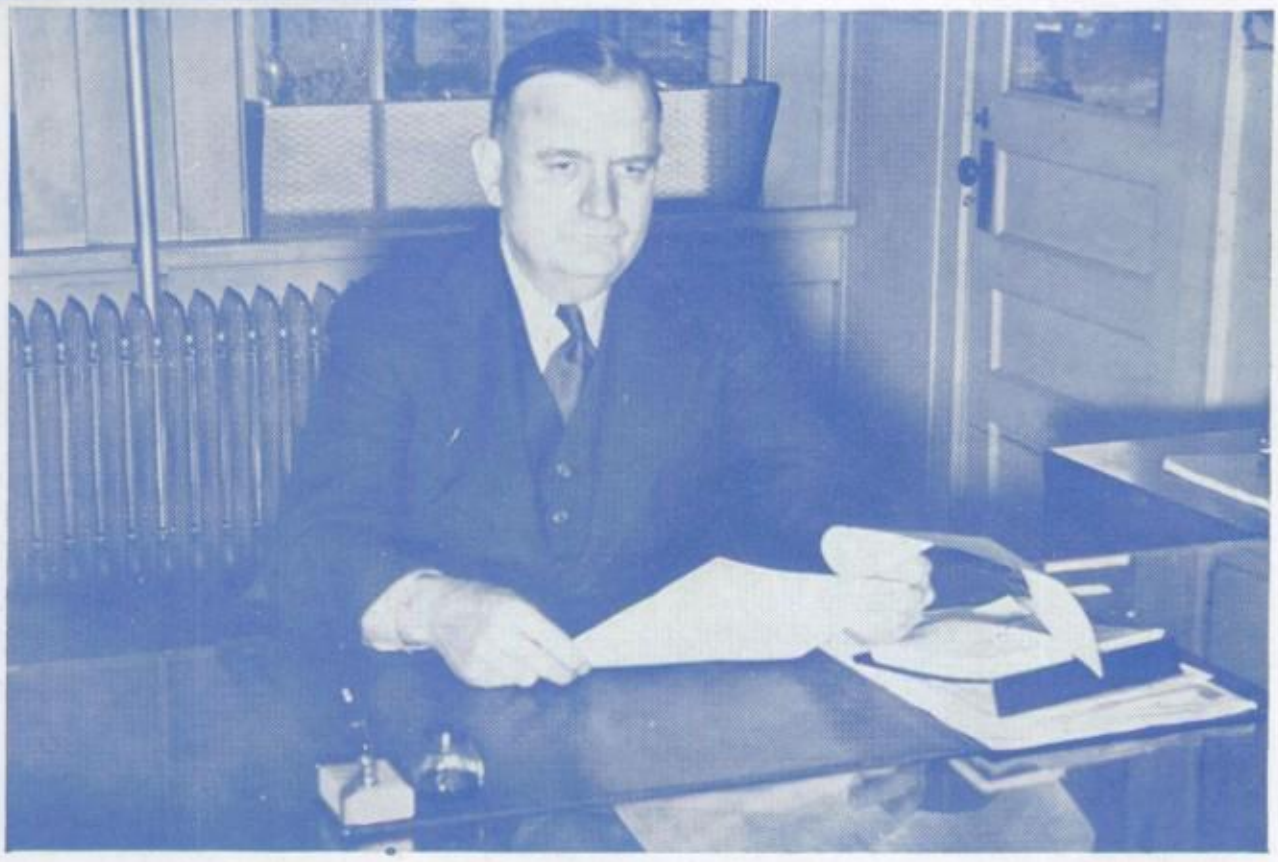

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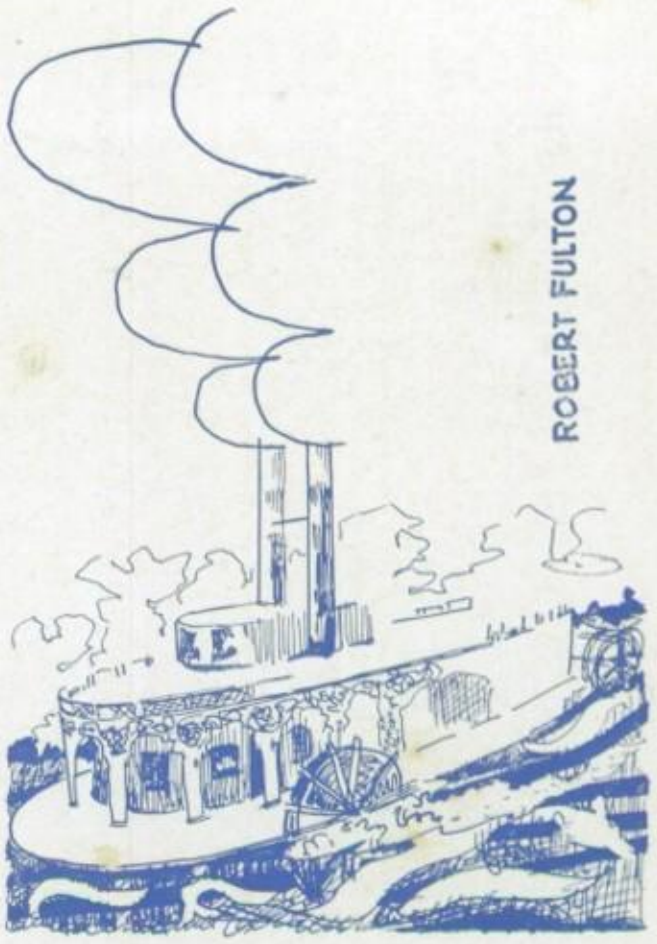

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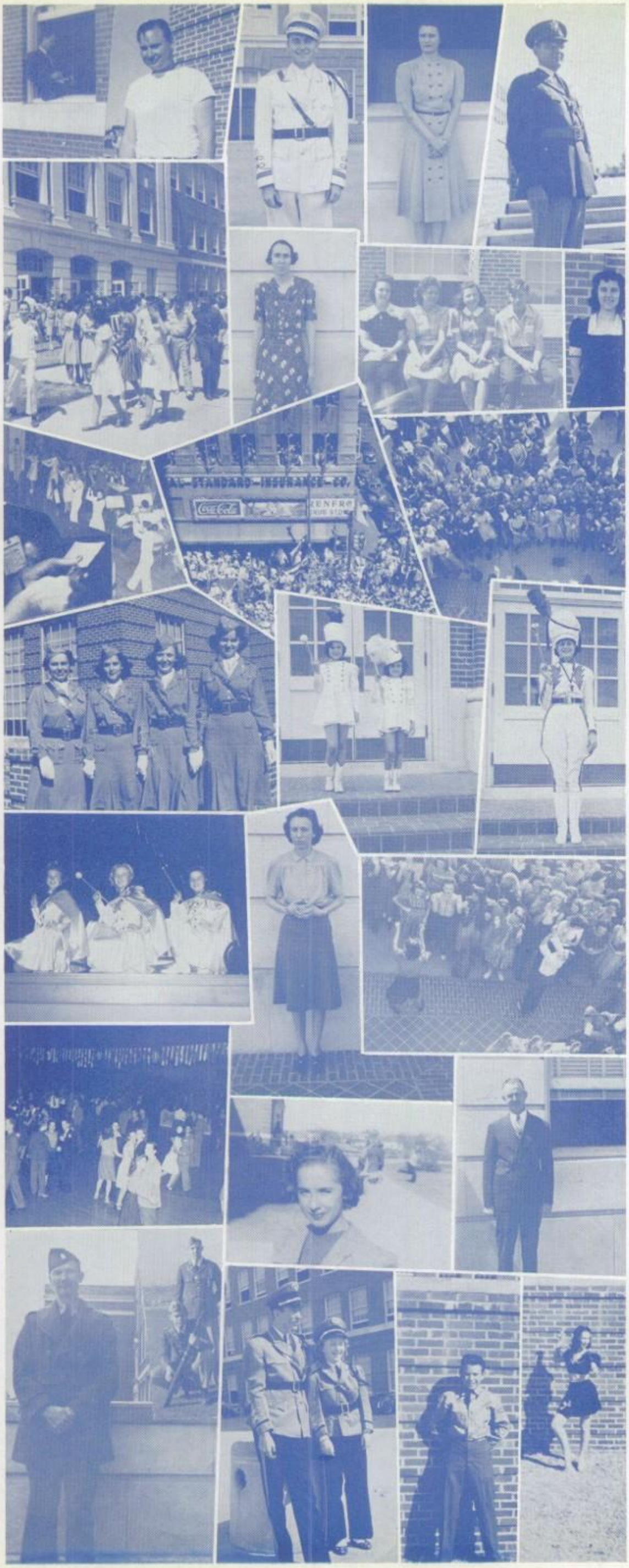
To a very cute and clever girl - Gladys - with lovely coloring - and one of my favorites - Nina Jerry —

It was fun having you as a student and friend. You have a grand personality!

Love,
Katherine Rose

CALENDAR



Sept. 9. First faculty meeting; New teachers: Parr, Amos, Sandifer, Horner

Sept. 10. School Opens

Sept. 11. Mrs. Crone; J. O. Strahan elected editor-in-chief of Parrakeet; Annual staff reports for work?

Sept. 12. Girl Reserve cabinet announced; Virginia Thaxton, President

Sept. 13. Cheer Leader tryout; new band uniforms

Sept. 17. Charles M. Berry announced as Boy's counselor; Jack Hargis pays for first annual

Sept. 18. First Bio-Chem-Phy meeting

Sept. 19. Preview "The Westerner"

Sept. 20. Poly vs. Vernon at Vernon; Pep rally

Sept. 24. Cadet Sponsors chosen

Sept. 26. Madie Keeton elected Drum Major; Three majorettes: Dorothy Graves, June Miller, Betty Turner

Sept. 27. Virginia Van Osdol; Poly vs. Amarillo; Pep Rally

Sept. 28. Parrakeet Dance

Sept. 30. K.Y.C. organized; Mary Helen Henderson, President; Mr. Moore speaks on Americanism at Hi-Y meeting

Oct. 1. Class Sponsors announced

Oct. 3. R.O.T.C. promotions; Burl Jones, Gilbert Ferrell made Lt. Col. Poly vs. Arlington Heights

Oct. 4. Sutton leaves for regular service

Oct. 7. Mary Ellis elected president of Nu Sigma

Oct. 8. Picture show "The Plainsman"

Oct. 10. Band dons new uniforms; Poly vs. Riverside

Oct. 11. Parrot Birthday party; K. Y.C. dance

Oct. 15. Bio-Chem-Phy picnic

Oct. 16. Army Registration; Class officers elected

Oct. 18. Polly Ruth Gean heads French Club; Poly vs. Tech; R. O.T.C. Sponsors give Scavanger Hunt

Oct. 23. Home talent program

Oct. 24. Latin Club reorganized

Oct. 25., Home coming; Pep rally; Poly vs. Paschal

Oct. 26. Boy's Glee Club sponsor masquerade dance

Oct. 29. Penta Club guest of Bio-Chem-Phy

Oct. 30. Leon Worley's swing band

Oct. 31. Deadline on early pictures for 25 cents off; Frieda Lawing made all city Band Sponsor

Nov. 1. Gracy elected to represent Poly at T.W.C. homecoming

Nov. 4., Gracy chosen to represent Poly as Miss Goodfellow; J. C. Penney Co. and McCall Pattern Style Show

Nov. 6. Armistice program by R. O.T.C.

Nov. 7. Poly vs. North Side; Pep rally

Nov. 8. R.O.T.C. Scavanger hunt and picnic

Nov. 13. "Maisie" in assembly

Nov. 14. Dance Club organized; P.-T.A. night meeting ("Will O' the Wisp" Music Dept.)

Nov. 15. Book week; Radio play "The Artist"

Nov. 16. Girl Reserve luncheon at the Den

Nov. 18. Team Sports picnic

Nov. 19. M. L. Dickinson talks to Pan-American on West Indies

Nov. 20. Begin Thanksgiving holidays; Pep rally; Poly vs. Masonic Home

Nov. 26. Five days to get pictures made

Nov. 27. Sandy Sandifer's Band

Dec. 4. I. M. Terrell Glee Club

Dec. 5-6. Minstrel Madhouse

Dec. 10. Poly vs. Highland Park; Pep rally

Dec. 11. P. E. Dept. gives Assembly Program

Dec. 13. Poly vs. Cleburne; Dance

Dec. 16. Poly vs. Arlington Heights

Dec. 17. R.O.T.C. annual officers' banquet at Colonial Country Club; Christmas tree in front hall

Dec. 18. Poly vs. Cleburne; Christmas program

Dec. 20. Nu Sigma Sponsors Christmas dance; Winner of Fire Prevention Theme; Out for Christmas holidays

Dec. 23. Girl Reserve and Hi-Y join in a "Caroling Caravan"

Jan. 6. Holidays are over

Jan. 7. Poly vs. Paschal

Jan. 8. Elect Class favorites

Jan. 9. Gilbert Ferrell high of Eighth Corps Area R.O.T.C. rifle match

Jan. 15. Play directed by Mr. Ausmus

Jan. 17. P.-T.A. supper for graduating seniors

Jan.21. Poly R.O.T.C. Corp Formal Battalion review; Senior Day program

Jan. 22. Junior-Senior banquet and dance at Casino; Class favorites announced; C. D. Allen wins "most valuable player" football trophy

Jan. 23. National Honor Society skating party; New guidance course makes debut

Jan. 26. Baccalaureate—L. D. Anderson

Jan. 28. Graduation exercises; Reeder, Henderson, Ferrell, win honors; Dr. Garrison guest speaker

Jan. 29. Mr. Green

Feb. 4. Poly vs. Arlington Heights

Feb. 5. Poly vs. Slidell; Dr. J. Frank Norris speaks on International Situation

Feb. 7. Poly vs. North Side

Feb. 10. Valentine party of French Club at E. Martel's

Feb. 11. Poly vs. Tech

Feb. 12. Paschal band in auditorium

Feb. 13. P. E. department gives P.-T.A. program

Feb. 14. Chili supper for all cadets and R.O.T.C. band; Poly vs. Carter; Girl Reserve rummage sale; all-city Hi-Y Valentine dance

Feb. 15. Colonial dames contest announced

Feb. 17. Hi-Y officers announced

Feb. 18. Poly vs. Tech

Feb. 19. Poly vs. North Side; home talent program

Feb. 20. Poly vs. Carter; Latin Club elects officers; Poly band to Paschal

Feb. 21. K.Y.C. slack dance

Feb. 24. Poly vs. Carter; Play off for city and district Basketball championship

Feb. 25. Football lettermen receive sweaters

Feb. 26. "What a Life" by N.T.A. C. Little Theater; T.C.U. Varsity Preview; Parrakeet stunt

Feb. 28. Pan-American dinner; Aviation club organized

March 1. Play over KGKO

March 3. Members of Fort Worth Junior Symphony Orchestra selected; Johnson new track coach; Spring football training starts

March 5. T.W.C. play "The Little Darling"; Helen McLure and Virginia Thaxton represent Poly as Typical High School girl

March 7. Tennis Club dance; Mrs. Jeanette Summerfield leaves, Lois Marie Anderson takes her place

March 10. Miss Peggy Worley gives style show—"Personality Wardrobe"; Girls' Golf Club elects officers; Johnson made track coach

March 12. T.C.U. Glee Club in assembly—Mr. Marsh directing

March 13. Play presented at P.-T. A. meeting; National Honor Society steak fry

March 14. Mr. Tunstill takes bride; Southwestern Stock Show track meet; Poly golfers winners

March 18. Student Directory makes appearance; P.-T.A. games tournament

March 19. Bobo Magician—Owens beheaded; T.W.C. talent show

March 21. Yell leaders barn dance

March 25. National art contest closes

March 26. Poly band; Parrakeet program

March 28. Girl Reserve formal

March 29. High School golf meet; Radio play over KGKO

March 31. Burl made commander

April 1. High School tennis tournament to continue all week

April 2. N.T.A.C. fine arts department

April 4. Dance: Declamation

April 5. Interscholastic spelling and ready writing contest; T.C.U. play day

April 6. Army day — First retreat parade—All city R.O.T.C.

April 9. T.S.C.W. Verse Speaking Choir in assembly

April 10. High School track meet; Easter program

April 14. Baseball season opens

April 17. Operetta

April 18. "Knocky Parker" from T.C.U.

April 25. Poly High Play day for Junior Highs; T.C.U. band

April 26. Radio Speech class gives KGKO program

May 1. All-city archery tournament; Agora makes its appearance

May 2. C.I.A. play day; state track meet

May 7. Chalk talk—Mrs. Fritz

May 8. Federal Inspection; Senior Play

May 9. Annual picnic

May 16. Junior-Senior garden party

May 21. Nu Sigma play

May 25. Baccalaureate

May 28. Senior day program; Senior picnic

May 29. Graduation

June 3. School's out

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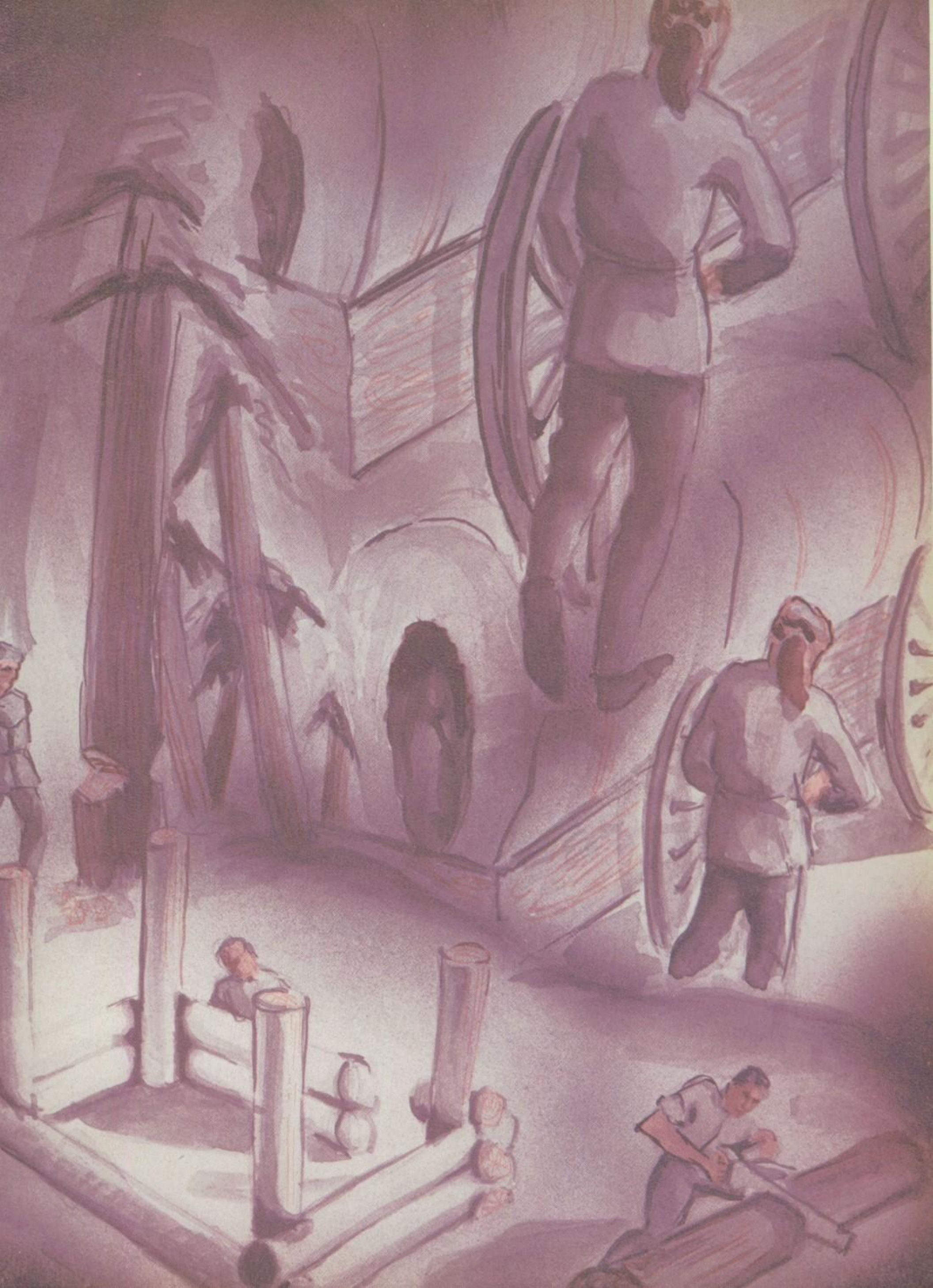
BUILDERS

O BEAUTIFUL FOR PILGRIM FEET,
WHOSE STERN, IMPASSIONED STRESS
A THOROUGHFARE FOR FREEDOM BEAT
ACROSS THE WILDERNESS!
AMERICA! AMERICA!
GOD MEND THINE EVERY FLAW,
CONFIRM THY SOUL IN SELF-CONTROL,
THY LIBERTY IN LAW!



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Miles' Social Studies

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Radio Speech

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Art

Mr. Moore at his desk

Study Hall

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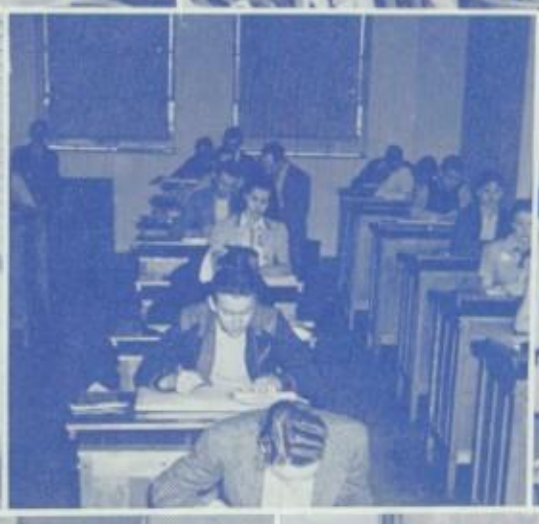
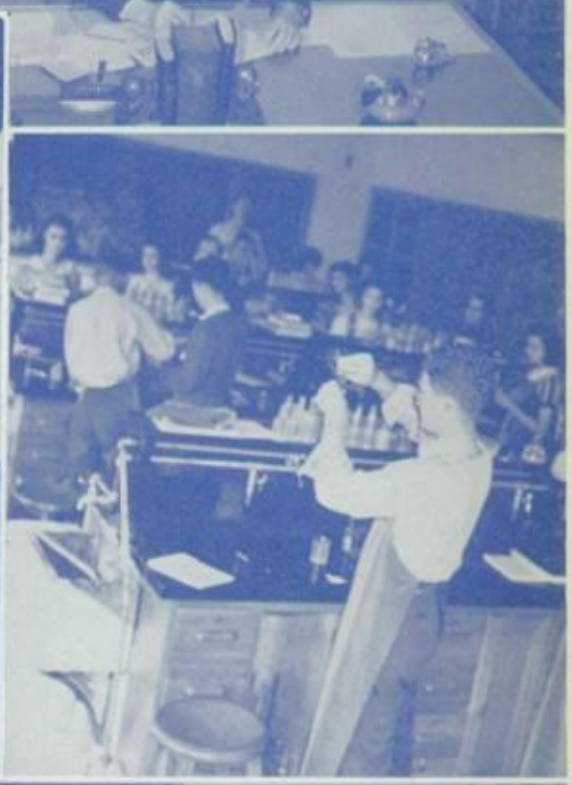
Chemistry

Recording

English





POLY SONG

Words and Music by Charles X. O'Brien
Arranged by Maurine Martel

Al - ways I'll sing thy prai - ses Po - ly And tell my love for

thee I'll try my best ole Po - ly

To bring fair fame to thee, my Po - ly And when Dame Fortune

smiles on me Dear School, I'll give the praise to thee

Library Display Case

Journalism

Teachers' Dining Room

Biology

Virginia Van Osdol at Work

Around Campus

Social Studies

Art

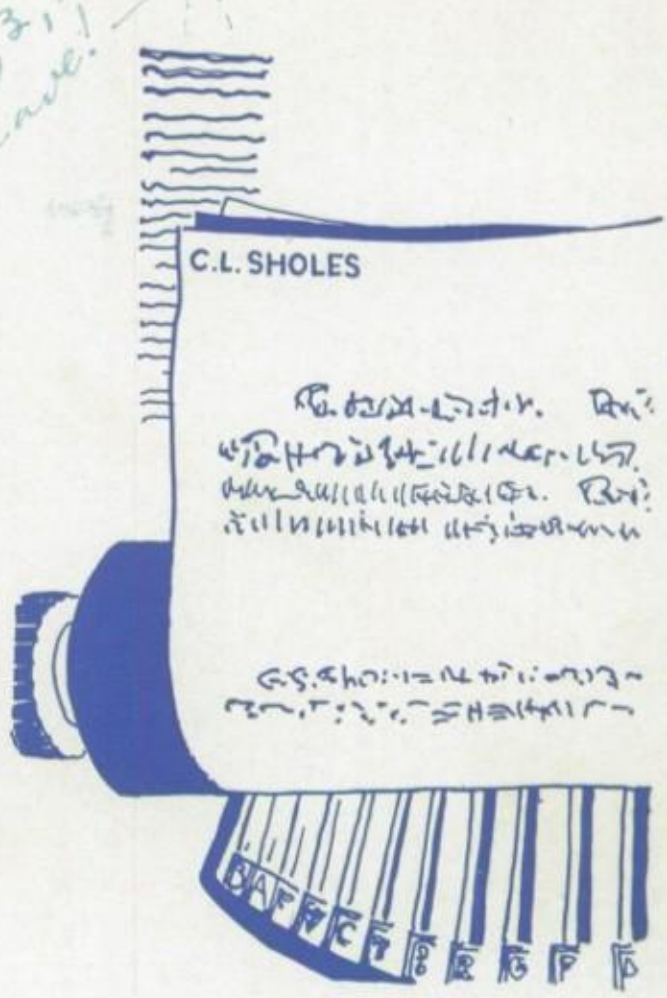
Nurse's Office

English

Typing

Dramatics

To my darling
dearest, + sweetest
know. I will always
think more of you than any
person in the world. You know
promise me that you will always
love and cherish the very thought of me.
I hope no one reads this because I only want
you to know of my love for you - and ours. It is not
their damn business. Will you promise me one
thing? not to go with any one any sweeter than I
am to you. Please love me always. Sweet, love!, 2, 3, sweetest.
Your Darling, boyfriend + lover) you have!
Yours lover



Dear Gladys
I'll always remember
the good times we have
had together and I
hope we always will have
good times together.
In case you don't
already know it you're
really the only one
.
all my love
Dwight

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Don Miller

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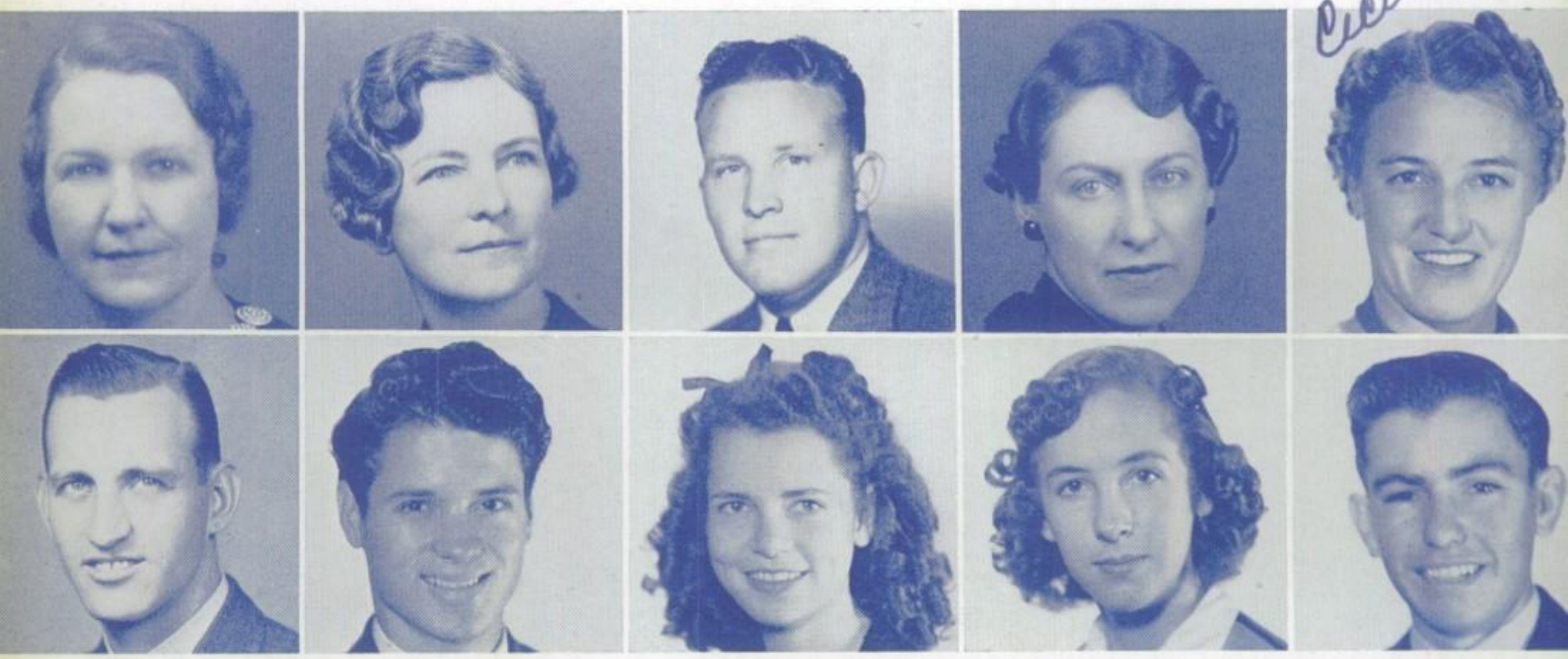

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Cecil Owens
Sponsor

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Treasurer

Dear Glad'ass
I have really
enjoyd being
with you in
dates at school.
You're really swell.
Lots of luck + stuff.
Floyd

Floyd Acklin

Sara Alice Acuff

Janet Adams

Betty Addington

R. L. Adkinson

Leonard Allen

Martha Alread
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Betty Lou Ammann
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Carl Armstrong
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Betty Baker

Kenneth Baker

Rena Frances Baker

James Bales

June Barbour

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Mildred Bates

Geraldine Beckelman
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Mary Lou Harms

Jo Ann Harris
National Honor Society

Larry Hart

Virginia Ruth Hartman
National Honor Society

Loraine Hartwell

Loads of luck
to a very nice
sweet girl
Betty Heird

Jo Hartzell

Mary Louise Harwood
National Honor Society

Marjorie Hawkins

Alma Haynes

Gilbretta Healey

Betty Heard

Bettye Kaye Heinz

Wanda Heffenstine

Rex Hennington
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Marvin Hicks

Juanita High
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Peggy Hightower

Virginia Hill

Marjorie Hitt

Trenna Mae Holcomb

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Doris Hooten

Philip Hopkins

Thomas Hubbard

Raymond Huddle

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Calvin Hungerford
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Bertha Lee Ivie
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Laura May Jackson

Joe Veal Jewell

Birla Marie Jones
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Madie Keeton

Eloise Kellner
National Honor Society

Mary Virginia Keney
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Billy Kimbler

Burnett King

Dorothy Kirk

Venita Klihr

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Louis Laine

Ray Laine

Mozelle Lamberth

Lucille Lauritzen
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Frieda Lawing
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Gloria Leath
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Jessie Ledingham

Carlene Lee

Jack Russell Lee

Margaret Lee
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Marjorie Lee
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Mary Louise Lee

Bobby Leslie

Billy Le Van

John Lewie

Arvil Lewis

Jacquelyn Lightfoot

Mark Livesay
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Murl Loftin

Robert Lowe
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Patsy McCoy

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A. G. McDaniel

Dorothy McElvany

Ann McHone

Helen McLure
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Bus McRae

Doris Mann

Lucille Martin

Oliver Martin

Dorothy Louise Mason

Fannie Jo Matthias

Jack Maxwell

Doris Mayfield

Billy Meacham

Mary Beth Mewborn
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Shirley Middleton

Evelyn Miller
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June Miller

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Mary Jean Milliken
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Nina Moates
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Roy Reese Moeller

Clarence Moore

Dorothy Moore

Joy Moore
National Honor Society

Rachel Moran

Arthur Morris

Catherine Morris

Betty Jean Morton
National Honor Society

Marjorie Beth Murphy
National Honor Society

June Murrah

Richard Murray

the best of luck & everything to a swell & cute gal. nippy

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Tom Newton

Noel Nipp

Martha Nolen

Grayce Norman

Mary Ann Norris

Florence O'Reilly

Bill Owen

J. D. Owens

Alice Ruth Pape
National Honor Society

Florence Parker

Mary Jean Parker

Marilyn Paschal

Buddy Peacock

Dorothy Lou Peeples

Vivian Perkins

Dorothy Lee Perry
National Honor Society

Ralph Perry

Delmar Pettigrew

Bette Phillips

J. C. Phillips

Wilford Phillips

Martha Pickard
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Ollie Jo Pierce
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Frances Pless

Mada Pope

Shirlene Potthoff
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Maudie Power
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Meroba Fay Pressley

Rose Protsman

Marion Ramon

Robert Rasco

Bettye Record

Jerry Jean Richardson

Patricia Richardson

Willis Rivers

Betty Jane Roberts
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Joe Roberts

Vivian Roberts

Mary Lucille Rodgers

Olan Rogers

Marilyn Roquemore
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Margaret Rowland

Robert Rucker

Clydean Rudd
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Florence Sampley

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Elizabeth Sargent

Ralph Schilling

Betty Schmalzried
National Honor Society

Dorothy Schneider
National Honor Society

Robert Sears

J. C. Seeton

Charlie Seyster
National Honor Society

Marjorie Seyster
National Honor Society

Mary Katherine Shamburger
National Honor Society

Lecil Shanks

Clyde Shelton

Frances Shelton

Don Shilling

Imogene Shilling

Wilma Shivers
National Honor Society

Bill Shockey

Best Wishes to one of the smallest girls, who goes with a small guy - Merrill

Bobby Ray Simmons

Peggy Louise Sims
National Honor Society

Edna Kyle Skillman

Bill Smith

Coleta Smith

Elinor Smith

Frank F. Smith

Best Wishes to Frank Smith

Gerald Smith

Helen Dale Smith

Herbert Smith

Patricia Smith

Mary Spaulding

Gilbert Spurlin

Robert Stacy

Katherine Virginia Stanley

Raymond Stanley

Bettye Steele

Maxine Stewart

Merrill Stricklin

Doris Stroud

Abbie Sullivan

Late of success and happiness.
Virginia

Robert Sullivan

Paul Swindle

Doris Louise Tannahill

Aletha Tarvin

Wilson Tatum

Clayton Taylor

Walter Taylor

Virginia Thaxton
National Honor Society

Osilee Thompson

Edd Thomson

Jackie Thomson

Marie Tillotson

Catherine Tolbert

Martha Esta Tolbert

Lou Ellen Tripp

Lillian Tuggle

Winston Turbeville

Martha Turner

Virgil Turner

Betty Ruth Utley

Jean Van Horn

George Arthur Vincent

Suzelle Vincent

Lena Jo Vinson

Hilma Edith Wagner

Billy Walton
National Honor Society

Avis Wansley

Louise Ward

Beryl Warriner

Burt Watkins

Harold Watkins

O. D. Weaver
National Honor Society

Betty Jo Welch

Marjory Rue Wetzel

Betty Lou Whitehurst

Winford Whitehurst

Jack Wiley

Edgar Wilkinson

Ruth Wilkinson

Eddie Lou Williams

Mary Williams

J. M. Williamson

Erwin Willoughby
National Honor Society

Anna Wilmoth

Evelyn Wilson

Robert Wilson

Virginia Wilson
National Honor Society

Dick Wisdom

Bobbie Marie Wiser

La Verne Witt

James Wood

Melvin Wood
National Honor Society

Mary Earline Woodard

Margaret Woolard

Tom Wright

Carl Yeager

Mary Alice Yeager
National Honor Society

Lois Young
National Honor Society

Lora Belle Young

Dixie Zuefeldt

SENIORS NOT IN THE PICTURES

JANUARY

Robert Brockman
Margaret Cure
Madge Curran
Thomas William Fuller
Barney Merle Jackson
Josephine May
Mary Elizabeth Morrison
Eliot Read
Charles Sawyer
Elta Leona Smith
J. W. Whitaker
James Alton Whitehead

JUNE

Horace Anderson
Charles Black
Charles Brock
Raymond Calaway
Billy Herbert Coker
Hal Crabb
Dolores Ditmore
Richard Edwin Domm
Jack Edwin Dunnam
Weldon A. Ekman
Jack Garrett
J. D. Graham
Jewel Griffith
M. G. Hess
Herbert Hunter
Jack Imes
Joe J. Johnson
Troupe Jones
Ruth King
Billy Latham
Lowe Leach
National Honor Society
George Ledingham
Milton Maddox
John McDowell
Maxine McKinzie
Billy Bryan Milner
George Powell
George Robert Rawdon
F. H. Rogers
Ruby Rogers
Daisy Mae Schooler
Tom Smith
Alvin Stephenson
Harvey Still
Wayne Taylor
Willam Turner
Richard Ware
Emmett Watkins
Richard Wishnack
National Honor Society
Frankie Nell Wylie
Francis Young

Best of luck to
a very sweet
girl.
x
Douglas Hardin
"42"

Lots of luck to a swell
girl.
Heyward Grounds

Best O luck
James Stovall
"42"

Lots of luck to
a sweet girl,
Geneva Pelton
"42"

To a sweet
little girl
Bryan Markel
"42"

The best of luck
the sweetest girl
I know. May happiness
and success be yours always.
Love,
Doris Boyer

Have a wishing
a very pretty
and short little
girl all the
happiness and
luck in the world.
Love,
Georgiana
Bozier
'41

Dear Gladys,
Always be as sweet
as you are this day,
and you will be happy
and thankful many times!
All the luck in the
world is yours, in this
sincere hope.
Elizabeth Hasely
'43

Best wishes to
a swell girl
this Kid

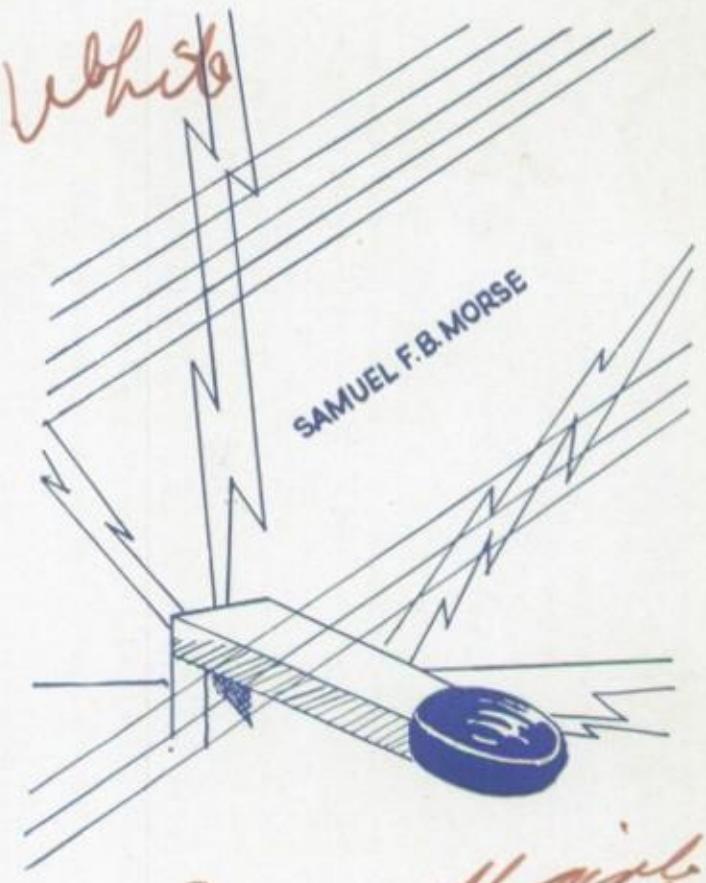
"To a swell
girl" Lots
of luck"
Bill Dreims
"42"

Lots of Luck
to a sweet girl
June Graves

Dearest Gladys —
Lots of Luck
and happiness in
the future and
I hope our friendship
will continue
Yours truly,
John Kinney

Dear Vlady
I love you big
I love you small
I love you with
your school frown
& one of the smiles
you have never known
with lots of luck and
happiness with bunches
of love
Jesse Mondell

Best Wishes
to a swell
Pal
Bobby Ubhitz



To a swell girl
I wish all the
luck in the world.
Billy Reid

Best wishes
to a swell
skater
Stephens
"41"

To a swell girl
Lots of luck
Milton Roberts

Dear Gladys,
I wish you all
the luck and happiness
there is. I am sure you
will get it if you are
sweet as you are.
Betty Jeanne Neal
'43

I wish all the
luck in the world
to a swell fellow.
James Buchan
'42

To a very nice
girl, lots of luck.
Milton Roberts

Best of Luck
W. Grell Bateler
'42
(I Hope)

JUNIORS

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JUNIORS

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Sponsor

Kathryn W. Edwards
Sponsor

Weldon Y. Lacy
Sponsor

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Paul Billman

Billy Blair

Ruby Blair

Elinor Blanton

Mildred Boardman

Peggy Boyd

Sara Nell Brookshire

Helen Brown

Katherine Buckland

Paul Burks

Bobby Burton

O'Quinn Caraway

Louis Carmichael

Sally Carmichael

Harold Carter

Doris Cato

Billy Cavaness

Harriet Collier

Latellia Bess Covey

Jo Rene De Maio

Azalea Chenault

Jeanne Collup

Billy Craig

Jack Devoe

Bettye Clark

Ruby Jean Cope

Bill Crozier

Melvin Drake

Dorris Jean Clary

Dorothy Copeland

Buford Culver

Betty Duncan

Billy Cleaver

Betty Coppeak

Jack Davis

Nancy Dunham

Elvin Cloninger

Betty Ruth Cor[illegible]

Elsie Davis

Evelyn Echols

Harold Cluck

Elizabeth Coulter

Joe Dawson

Gloria Echols

Louis Eilenberger

John Elliott

Irwin Ewing

Juanita Faram

Bob Frankenfield

Kenneth Frick

Bill Fuller

Harvey Gammage

Vera Dayle Grant

Mary Ann Garner

Betty Geer

Harold Gilreath

Mildred Glaze

Raymond Goodwin

Mary Graham

Mina Green

Donald Hall

George A. Hamil

Betty Carol Harris

Lora Dell Harwood

Bill Hatton

Mary Hawkins

Shirley Hill

Pauline Hodge

Jacqueline Hogan

Jack Horn

Arthur Hostetter

Beverly Huber

Lucille Huston

Jimmy Jenkins
Jayne Johnson
James Johnston
James Jones
Marianne Jones
Marion Jones
Margaret Jordan

Charles Keenan
Mary Beth Kelly
Mike Kelly
Bobby King
[illegible] Kirkpatrick
Ben Kuykendall
Audrey Mae Langston

Eugene Lawson
Patsy Leaman
Leslie Ledingham
Dorothy Lee
Nelda Leissner
John Lemons
Mildred Lemons

[illegible] Lewallen
[illegible] Loafman
Charleen Lowe
Martha Lusk
Orville Lyles
Gloria McAllister
Hugh McCash

Lots of luck
"Kid"
Elmer

Eugene McClendon
Joe McClendon
William McClung
Earl McClure
Raymond McDuff
Betty Jean McElroy
Jim McKnight

Marshall McLaughlin
Bobby Malone
Charles Markward
Betty Marlor
Claire Betty Martin
Margaret Martin
Eloise Massingill

Jack Mathis
Marjorie Maxey
Dick Meador
Helen Middleton
Bobbie Rhea Miller
Sam Montgomery
Maxine Mortenson

Eugene Moseley
Here's to your future success
Alice Moss Alice Moss
Charlie Mount
J. W. Myatt
Elmer Myers
Margie Myrick
Bill Nicholson

Geneva Nobles

Lois Ogg

Doris Parish

Fannie Parish

Earlene Parker

Pat Pendery

Sue Pickett

Bill Potter

J. B. Price

Lillian Price

Jimmie Pritchard

Catherine Pruitt

Jean Reddy

Elton Reeves

Howard Reynolds

Betty Jo Richker

Billy Joe Robertson

Helen Royal

Nita Scheble

Grace Schooler

Laura E. Sellers

Billy Skinner

Betty Jane Sliger

Betty Smith

Cambell Smith

Dorothy Lee Smith

E. B. Smith

Lots of luck
Bettyeanne

Lois Spencer
James Steeley
Tom Stewart
Leonard Stouffer
Polly Stricklin
Muriel Tallmon
Bonnie Sue Tannahill

Helen Tarter
Bettye Thomas
Jacob Thomas
Wrae Mildred Thompson
Harriet Traxler
Betty Turner
Betty Vickers

Here's to a sweet girl
Billie Ward

Bettye Anne Walker
Mamie Walker
Billie Ward
Eugene Ward
Dolpha Jo Webber
Paul Weir
Carroll Wheeler

Virginia Wheeler
Rose Mary Whitaker
Ruby Mae Wilkinson
Juanita Williams
Lorrayne Williams
Wayne Williams
Lucille Willis

Here's to the best to a very sweet girl
Polly

Best Wishes to a very very sweet and cute girl who I hope has the best success.
Polly

"Good Luck"
Marie Kramer
"43"

Lots of everything
Sammy Williams
'44

Best wishes and lots
of luck to a swell
girl and geo. student.
Mack Lale

Gladys
I have not known
you very long but
during that time I
have enjoyed you very much.
Here's wishing you the
best of luck always
Lorraine Lapp
"43" Typing I Pals

Even though I've
only really known you
this year you are really
a swell friend and lots
of luck through the rest
of your days.
Elizabeth Webster
"43"

Best of luck
throughout the
years.
Jean Rankin

Best of luck,
Connie
Chambers

Lots of Luck
Dorothy Neel
Hayden

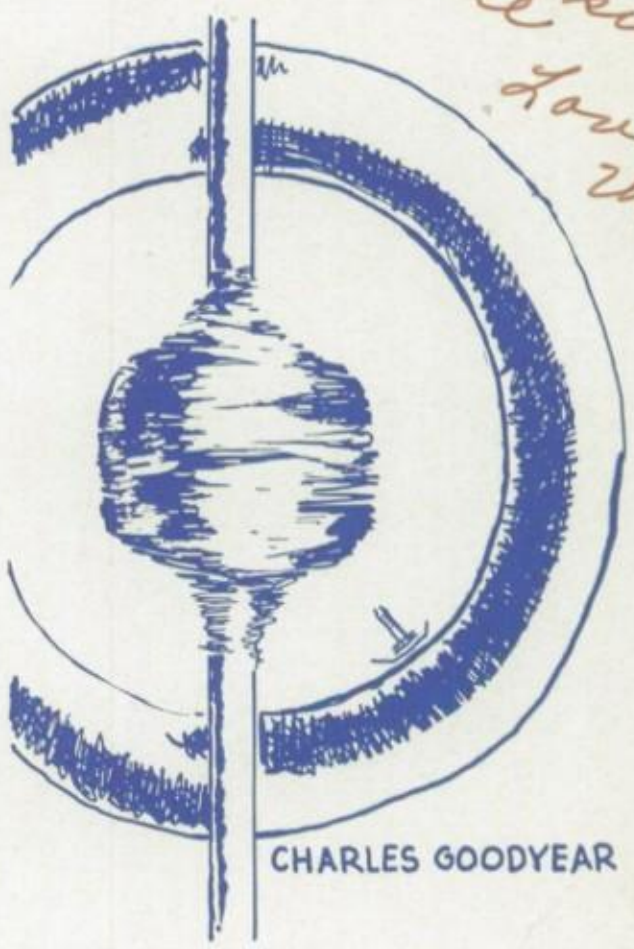
Minnette McMillen
loads of luck
'43

Wishing you the best
of luck in years future.
Betty Ruth Cook
'43

I am glad I know you and I will always remember you. Janelle Lindley '43

Lots of luck to sweet little girl. I hope your back again next year. You are really a swell friend" - Girl Louis Nabors

Date of Luck to a sweet gal Love Vreezie



Gladys,
You are my favorite girl friend. I think you are perfectly lovely. May you have everything. Love Louise Schmidt

To a sweet girl who deserves a lot of everything. Love Lois Ruffridge '43

Best Wishes to one of the cutest & sweetest Girls I have ever Known. May our friendship continue.
Nanette Russell.

To a darling who deserves praise. That's much truth in a damn! —
Peg Plummer

Even though I have known you but a short time it has really been a pleasure!
Mary Alread

Best Wishes and success to a sweet girl
With Love
Bess Jo Cannon

SOPHOMORES

Lots of luck to
best wishes to
a good friend.
"Tip" Bender

SOPHOMORES

Clay Sandidge
Sponsor

Durward Horner
Sponsor

G. L. Ausmus
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Martha Johnson
Gus Kelly
Betty Lou Kent
Doris King
Bobby Kirk
Evelyn Largent
Jo Ann Latshaw
Howard Leath
Mary Anne LeBlanc
Bob Lee
Jack Lee
Carol Leaf
Juanita McCaskill
Barbara Medford
Betty Moseley
Betty Jayne Myers
Elsie Esther Nichols
Billie [illegible]

Patsy Oswalt | Dorothy Ruth Robbins | Ivanelle Sargent | Jerry Walker

Martha Perkins | Annelle Roquemore | Patsy Sims | Virginia Wenzel

Patsy Pankey | Dorothy Royal | Elinor Smith | Jack Whitaker

Theonetta Porthoff | Beverly Rushing | Harold Smith | Mary M. Wildman

Doris Jean Quisenberry | Nannette Russell | Joe Clifton Smith | Rae Wilson

Pauline Redden | Jerry Rutledge | Ingrid Thor | Tommy Wilson

Johnny Reeder | Jeanne Sandlin | Betty Jo Thorn | Mildred Winters

LOW SOPHOMORES

FIRST ROW: C. Williams, F. Blackburn, P. Poole, B. Ratliff, E. Rowland, D. Cushman, A. R. Cox, G. Gross, M. Williamson, F. Wren, M. Erby, B. Johnson, N. Coleman, B. Echols, L. Noble, L. Hinkle.

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THIRD ROW: O. McCulley, D. Dryden, B. Riddle, R. Stouff, B. Killian, C. Wilson, M. West, R. Adkinson, J. Gambell, B. Nicholson, A. R. Roberts, E. O'Brien, L. Hall.

FOURTH ROW: J. Hart, V. Lettigg, W. Ogletree, M. E. Carr, R. Byther, P. Boyd, K. Lester, L. Morgan, J. Martin, V. Parish.

LOW SOPHOMORES

FIRST ROW: R. D. Brown, B. J. Smith, P. Staudt, J. Huffman, B. McBride, L. Pearcy, P. Butcher, E. L. Stroder, M. Tackett, P. Crowe, B. J. Russell, M. L. Welch, P. Stuckey, K. Bateman, M. Maxwell, S. Evans.

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THIRD ROW: M. Massey, N. Scheble, B. Haesly, V. Wood, A. Hatchett, M. Holt, B. Frazor, M. Thomas, E. Krause, M. Pickard, J. Thorman, B. Donohoo, W. Warren, H. Myers, L. Dunn, E. Emory, E. Baker, W. D. Hester.

FOURTH ROW: B. Maddox, A. Talkington, B. Blue, J. Reynolds, M. Alread, L. Thomas, D. Cooper, M. Burns, J. Brister, P. Neel, W. Ferguson, P. Plummer, M. Stewart, L. F. Orr, J. Gilliam, P. Mewborn, A. Lawler.

FIFTH ROW: L. Boyd, D. Farom, A. Ewing, E. Bowen, E. Eichholtz, A. Maxey.

To a swell friend
Arlene Mahnken

"To a girl that don't like to swap an
dates, but who is doggone swell and
all that sort of thing."
Bill S Kinner

Best of luck
to a sparkling wit
with a swell personality
Love
Margaret Jane

Wishing you all the
Luck in the World.
Robert Reller
-43"

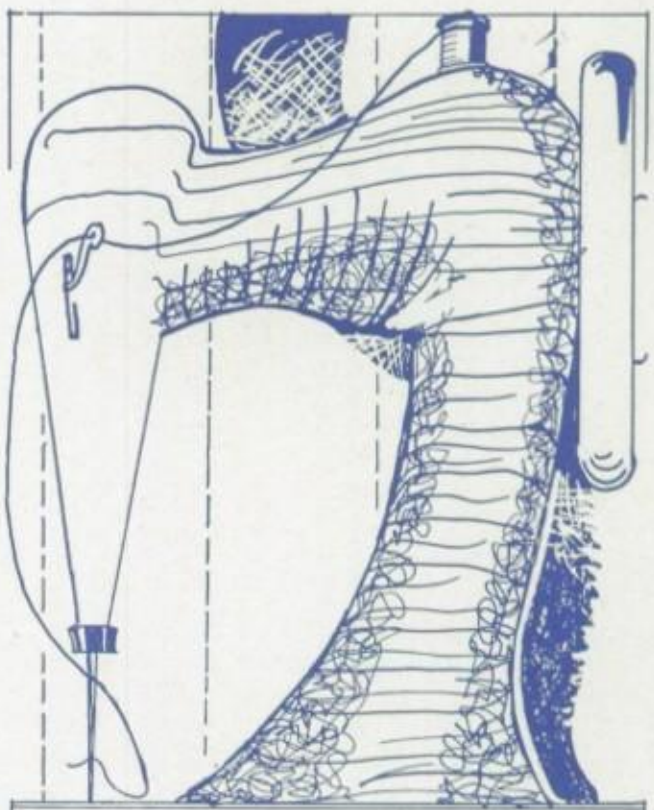
Dear Lady
To one of my dearest,
hoping to be your friend
always, Dick. Every thing that
is nice in this old
world.
Love
Doris Ruth Rupnow
43

Dear Lady;
May you always
have that sparkling thing
this known as you do
long. Jamie and have realized
other friendship, more than
your share. Yours plenty
and have a swell
Arizona. Always stay
the same.
Lt Holmes;
Fort Royal

Dear Gladys,

To a swell girl who deserves all the luck and success in the world and ~~one~~ a very dear friend -

Lucille



FAVORITES

Lucille Gracy

JANUARY SENIOR FAVORITE

C. D. Allen

JANUARY SENIOR FAVORITE

Helen McLure

JUNE SENIOR FAVORITE

J. O. Strahan

JUNE SENIOR FAVORITE

Katie, Since I'm
the last one I can
offer good luck and
happiness always.
Sincerely
J. O.

Dear Gladys,

I haven't known you very long, but long enough to know how swell & cute you are! Here's hoping we will always be friends.

Sincerely
Nelda

Nelda Leissner

JUNIOR FAVORITE

Eugene Moseley

JUNIOR FAVORITE

Dear Gladys,
Here's
wishing a
darling friend
the best of
everything from
Sara

Sara Nell Brookshire

SOPHOMORE FAVORITE

all
the luck
and the best
of happiness
Pete Hunter

Pete Hunter

SOPHOMORE FAVORITE

January Seniors	June Seniors	Juniors	Sophomores
Billyelu Henderson Second Place	Nell Sitton Second Place	Emogene Lawson Second Place	Margaret Baldwin Second Place
Lynette Goodwin Third Place	Mary Louise Lee Third Place	Mary Hawkins Third Place	Dorothy Royal Third Place
C. N. Guinn Second Place	James Jones Second Place	Dolpha Jo Webber Third Place	Jackie Cockrell Second Place
Norman West Third Place		John Smerke Second Place	
Gilbert Ferrell Third Place	Robert Rucker Third Place	Bobby Malone Third Place	Jack Lee Third Place

The HEROES

Dear Bladys,

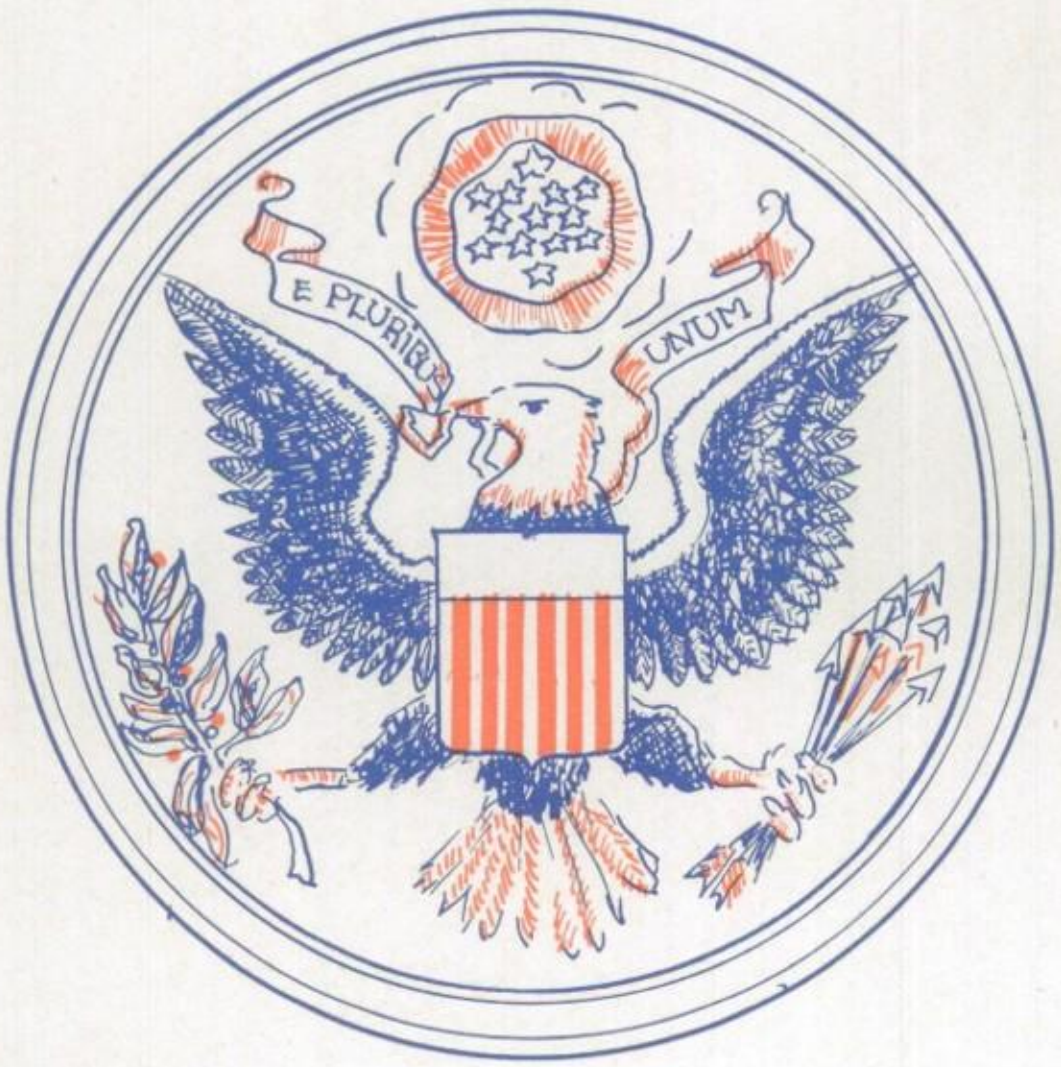
Since known you many
all years this award goes
to really should know that
you're a swell guy.
You have a outstanding
life and really think
we'll be the same one more
important one day.
I hope our friendship
will continue as the years
go because I really enjoy
your companionship.
Best of every thing.

Your friend
Wilma.

May only the
very best in the
world come your
way. You are
tops.

Bobby

O BEAUTIFUL FOR HEROES PROVED
IN LIBERATING STRIFE,
WHO MORE THAN SELF THEIR COUNTRY LOVED,
AND MERCY MORE THAN LIFE!
AMERICA! AMERICA!
MAY GOD THY GOLD REFINE
TILL ALL SUCCESS BE NOBLENESS
AND EVERY GAIN DIVINE!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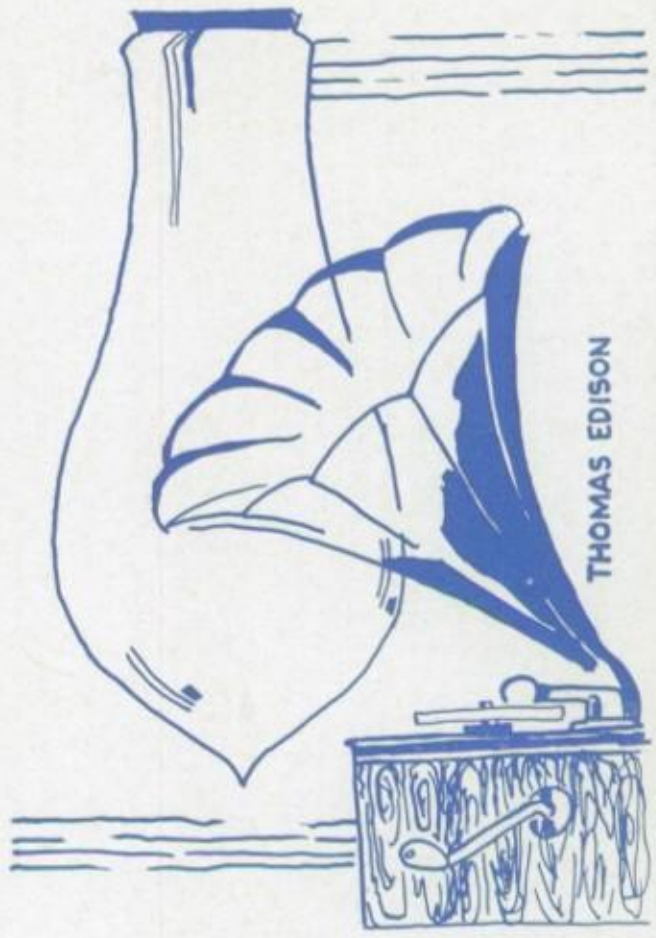


ATHLETICS

FOOTBALL

HEAD COACH

LUTHER SCARBOROUGH

Since 1935 Luther T. Scarborough has been head of the Polytechnic Athletic Department. Poly High School students are indeed proud to have him as head coach, for he has produced four fine football teams and three or four excellent basketball teams, one of these winning third in the state in 1937. The entire student body and faculty of Poly High School are proud to have such a fine fellow, Coach Scarborough.

ASSISTANT COACH

DURWARD HORNER

Having served his first year as assistant to Coach Scarborough, Coach Horner has already made a fine record. Coach Horner is a graduate of T. C. U., where he was all-conference end in 1938-39. He was on the T. C. U. Frogs' National Championship Football Club in 1938. The students and faculty are glad to have him on the faculty and here's to a real friend of everyone, Coach Horner.

FIRST ROW: E. Myers, Manager; D. Chollar, C. D. Allen, B. Anderson, A. Lewis, H. Reynolds, F. Smith, B. Watkins, G. Brown, B. Peacock, K. Andrews, J. Lewis.

SECOND ROW: T. Newton, B. McGaha, B. Smith, F. Huffman, E. Morgan, J. Jones, B. Frankenfield, P. Hunter, J. C. Phillips, T. Orr.

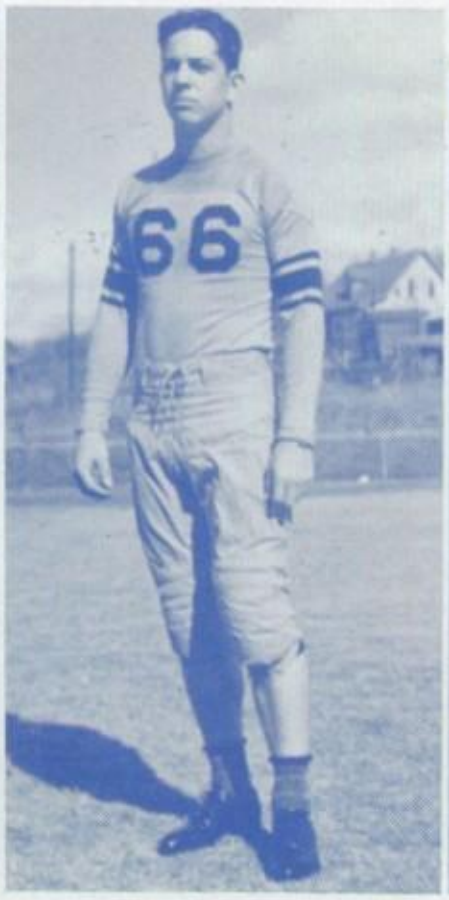
THIRD ROW: Coach Durward Horner, J. Dawson, B. Nabors, R. Moeller, P. Swindle, O. Lyles, C. L. Hester, R. Wilson, H. Graves, B. Shockey, K. Baker, Coach Luther Scarborough.

FOURTH ROW: D. Bodiford, L. Stouff, L. Hudkins, B. Heimer, E. Greenwood, A. Myner, C. Sellers, B. Neal, J. Foster, B. Reid.

OBERT WILSON, Guard

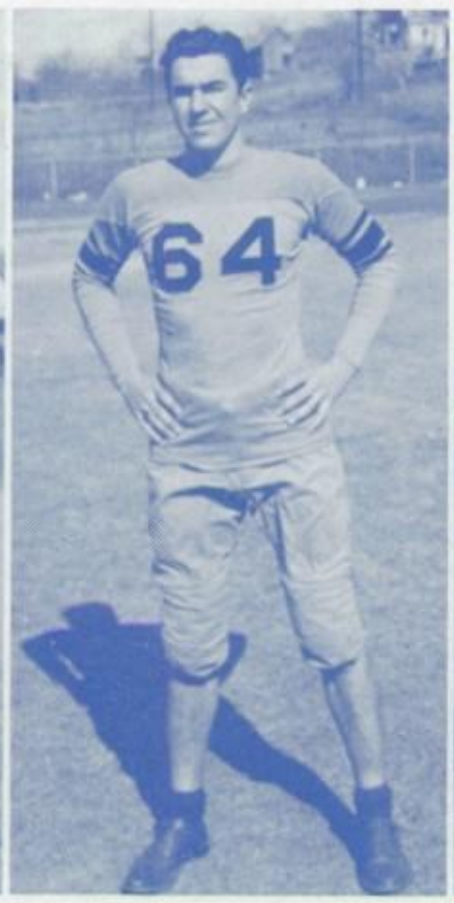
Robert played guard and as a tough one. This was is second year to letter. He is a fine sportsman and good athlete.

Best of luck and lots of happiness to a swell guy
Robert Wilson



C. D. ALLEN, Halfback

"Dewitt" was a three year letterman and captain of the "40" team. He was another rugged type of player and showed up in the defensive work especially. The going didn't get too tough for this back.



TOM NEWTON, Fullback

"Fig" was the hard running type of back. Hard tackling and blocking were also his specialties. Tom was injured and missed one or two of the games.

HOWARD REYNOLDS, Halfback

"Little Junior" was the smallest player on the team to letter. Coach Scarborough called his type of running "R. G. Rucker style." He is the only returning letterman in the backfield for the Parrots

KENNETH BAKER, Guard

"Kenny" played guard and was a regular all year. He was a hard blocker and a fine tackler. He was chosen on many all-district teams. Kenny will be missed next year.

VERNON

In the first grid game of the season the Poly Parrots journeyed to Vernon, where they tied the score 6-6 with the Vernon Lions.

In the third quarter, after a defensive first half, the Lions of District 2-AA took the lead when Kenneth Russell passed thirty-six yards to Emmett Maxon for their lone score. In the fourth quarter C. D. Allen dashed over from the Lions' 12-yard line, climaxing an uninterrupted advance from the Poly 32-yard line. Allen and the other backs gained consistently in midfield but couldn't pick up yardage inside the Lions' twenty except in the fourth quarter, when Allen tallied.

Outstanding for the Lions' team were Paschal, Davis, and Maxon. With the Parrots the outstanding players were Jones, Lyles, Brown, and Allen.

AMARILLO

The Amarillo Golden Sandies, brawny boys who looked big and rough enough to go on a grizzly hunt without fire arms, drew many a shudder from their opponents this season.

The Sandies showed a big, hard charging line and a bunch of clever and tough ball-carriers. Clyde Clark, formerly of Poly, played a splendid game, scoring two touchdowns and playing a good defensive game. M. T. Johnson scored the other touchdown, with the fanciest run of the game, around his own left end.

The whole Sandies team did outstanding work, with Greathouse and Harold Harlowe playing especially well. Baker, Watkins, and Allen deserve special recognition for the Parrots.

J. C. PHILLIPS, End

"Chesty" played fullback on last year's team but was shifted to end. He was an especially fine pass receiver. He made the first all-district team.

JAMES JONES, End

James was the most improved boy on the squad. He developed fast and became a starter. He was always fighting and a good defensive man. His next year promises to be a better one.

J. O. STRAHAN, End

"Cleo" was injured last year and did not get to come out for football until the season was nearly over. He won the North Side game for us with his defensive playing. His fine school spirit and his ambition to play football made him a favorite with his team-mates.

BUDDY PEACOCK, Halfback

Buddy was one of the most valuable men on this year's team. He was another rugged type of player and showed up in the defensive work especially. The going didn't get too tough for this back.

ARVIL LEWIS, End

Arvil was one of the serve ends who didn't to play much. He was little small but one of best defensive ends of year's team. He was alw ready when called upon.

ARLINGTON HEIGHTS

Before 9,000 fans, Arlington Heights and Poly met in the first conference game in District 7-AA. The game was a hard fought battle with some exciting sidelights.

The Parrots went sixty-eight yards on their scoring drive early in the game. C. D. Allen, Tom Newton, and Frank Smith broke through the primary defense for long gains. Finally, from the 13-yard line, Smith hit Reynolds with a bullet pass on the Jackets' three, and Reynolds carried over for the score. Allen added the extra point. Joe Dines crashed in to block a punt, and the tide was turned. Scoring for the Jackets were Dewees, Ballew, and Oliver.

Newton, Peacock, Reynolds, Baker, and Lyles turned in good games for the Parrots. Payne and Dines, with the fast backs, carried out their assignments well.

RIVERSIDE

The Parrots defeated the Eagles with a 21-12 score. The Parrots' aerial and ground game gained about 300 yards. The Riverside passing game went well in spots and resulted in two touchdowns.

C. D. Allen featured the first touchdown march with a 42-yard dash with beautiful blocking. It carried to the Eagles' eighteen, and from there the Parrots pounded it over for the score. Allen converted.

In the third quarter the fans witnessed a double lateral. This play started at the Eagle 22 when Brown flipped a pass over the middle to Peacock. Peacock gained a yard and then tossed a lateral to Allen. Allen, as he was about to be tackled, flipped to Brown, who carried over for the touchdown.

Brown sparked Poly's third march for 55 yards. A pass to Brown from Peacock made the last 10 yards, and again Allen kicked goal.

Penn, Lampkin, and Jarrel stood out for the Eagles. Lyles, Wilson, Moeller, Peacock, and Brown were outstanding for the Parrots.

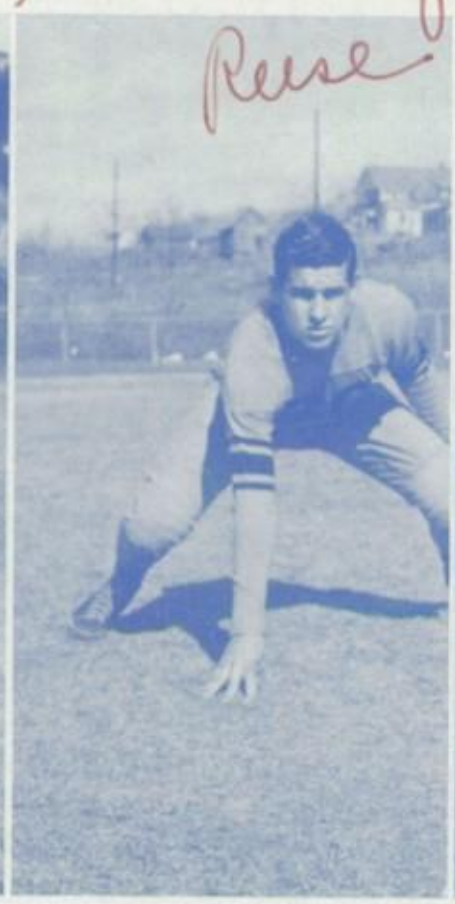
The very best of luck to a swell gal
Reese

GORDON BROWN, Quarterback

"Brownie" did the signal calling and did a good job of it, doing most of the passing and a great deal of the punting. Gordon could also carry the ball in fine style.

ORVILLE LYNES, Halfback

"Lardo" applied his one hundred and ninety pounds to the business of stopping up the left side of the Parrot line. He was on the second all-district team. Orville has another year of eligibility.



REESE MOELLER, Tackle

Reese was a hard and sure tackler. He played all year and turned in a good record as Poly's tackle. This was Reese's first year to letter.

BURT WATKINS, Center

Burt's fight and determination made him a reliable and alert center. He was outstanding on defense, diagnosing the opponent's most puzzling plays.

BAYNE ANDERSON, Fullback

Bayne's fight and hard playing made up for his lack of weight. Bayne was blocking back, and he played a fine brand of ball throughout the season.

TECH

The Parrots started the scoring early in the second period when Brown pitched to Peacock in the right flat for 27 yards and a touchdown. Directly after the succeeding kickoff Anderson, Parrot back, ran under a pass and ran the interception to the Tech 31. On the next play Brown passed to Phillips for another touchdown. The Parrots led 13-0 at the half.

Korelivich was the main carrier in the Tech drive from the Bulldogs' 15 to a touchdown. After the Bulldogs beat down to the Poly one yard line, Randall High, Bulldog halfback, slipped over for the touchdown, and Roberts added the point.

In the third quarter twisting runs by fast Newton, Peacock, and Brown brought the ball from Poly's 42 to the Tech 28. From here Brown hit Peacock twice in the right flat, and Buddy danced over for the touchdown.

At the start of the fourth quarter the Parrot backs ran down to the 10-yard line for a first down. Then Allen charged off tackle, knocking over one of his blockers and ran over for a touchdown standing up.

PASCHAL

C. D. Allen, Poly's stocky halfback, picked appropriate times to turn in his best runs in the Parrots' Homecoming game. He went 12 yards for one touchdown and later galloped 63 yards for another score to supply most of the offensive fireworks as the Parrots blanked their traditional rivals 19-0 before 9,000 fans.

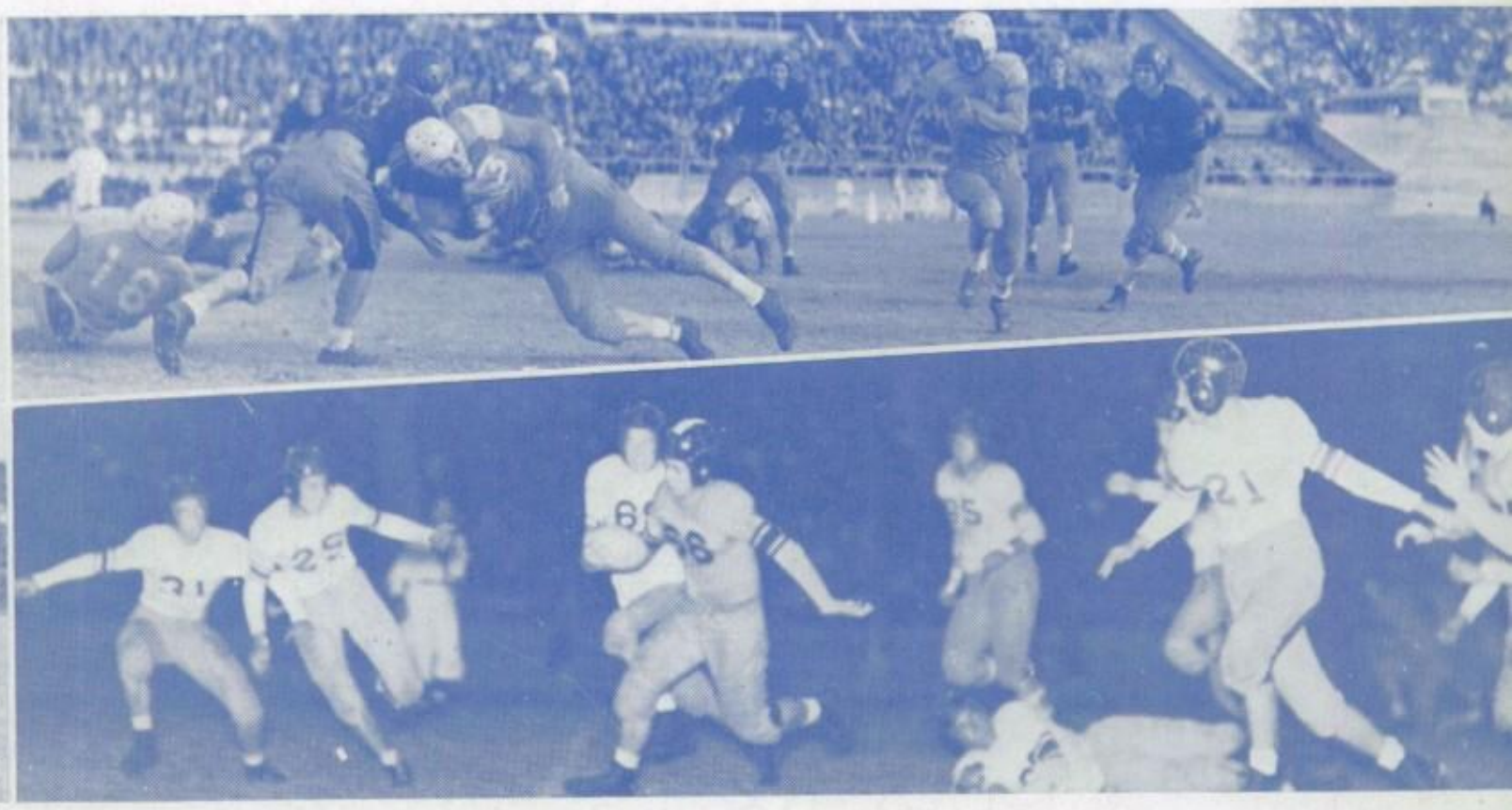
The Panthers played inspired ball the first half, even threatened to score late in the second quarter when Ted Dye pitched a neat pass completion to Grubbs for a first down on the Poly 25-yard line. This play came right after the Parrots had lost fifteen yards on a penalty.

Orville Lyles, Kenny Baker, and James Jones crashed through to block a Paschal punt, and Center Burt Watkins pounced on the ball on Paschal's twelve-yard line, two minutes after the third quarter started. From here Allen broke over the right side of Paschal's line, eluded the linebackers, and dashed into the end zone for six points. He added the point with a perfect placement try. After Paschal failed to gain on the next series of downs, Dye kicked to Allen on Poly's thirty-seven, and the swift little Poly back ran in "Jack Crain Style" for a touchdown.

Ted Dye and Robert Williford led a Paschal drive that went forty-seven yards against a second team Poly line in the fourth. Gordon Brown intercepted a pass and raced back to Paschal's thirty-five to kill the threat. Two plays later, Brown faded far back and flipped a long pass to J. C. Phillips in the end zone for Poly's third marker.

FRANK SMITH,
Quarterback

Frank was the quarterback of the team. His bullet passes and running ability will be missed next year. He was a big asset to the Parrot team.



MASONIC HOME GAME: Parrots closing in.

PASCHAL GAME: C. D. in a tight.

NORTH SIDE

The game started as a scoring duel between two of the district's best tackles. In the second quarter, with the Parrots backed up on their thirteen, the North Siders went into a 6-0 lead after Tackle Bill Ozee charged in, blocked C. D. Allen's punt, and recovered the ball in the Poly end zone for a touchdown.

Allen set up things for Poly's first touchdown in the third quarter with a rifle-like thirty-four-yard kick out of bounds on the Steers' two foot line. The Steers' Elmer Moseley bucked up to the four-yard line. Then Boorman tried to punt, but J. O. Strahan, Poly's 175-pound left end, broke through, blocked the kick, and Lyles recovered the ball in the end zone for a touchdown. Allen kicked the extra point.

The Parrots scored again in the third on a fifty-yard drive. Allen had fetched back a kick fifteen yards to the midfield. Brown hit Phillips for a first down on the North Side forty. On a reverse, Allen cut back over the middle, fled through the Steers' secondary, shrugging over tackles, and went to the fifteen before Boorman caught him. Brown and Allen banged out a first down on the three, but were pushed back to the eight on an offside penalty. From here Allen ran around the Steers' left flank with some beautiful blocking for a touchdown. The Parrots were about to push over another score as the final gun fired.

MASONIC HOME

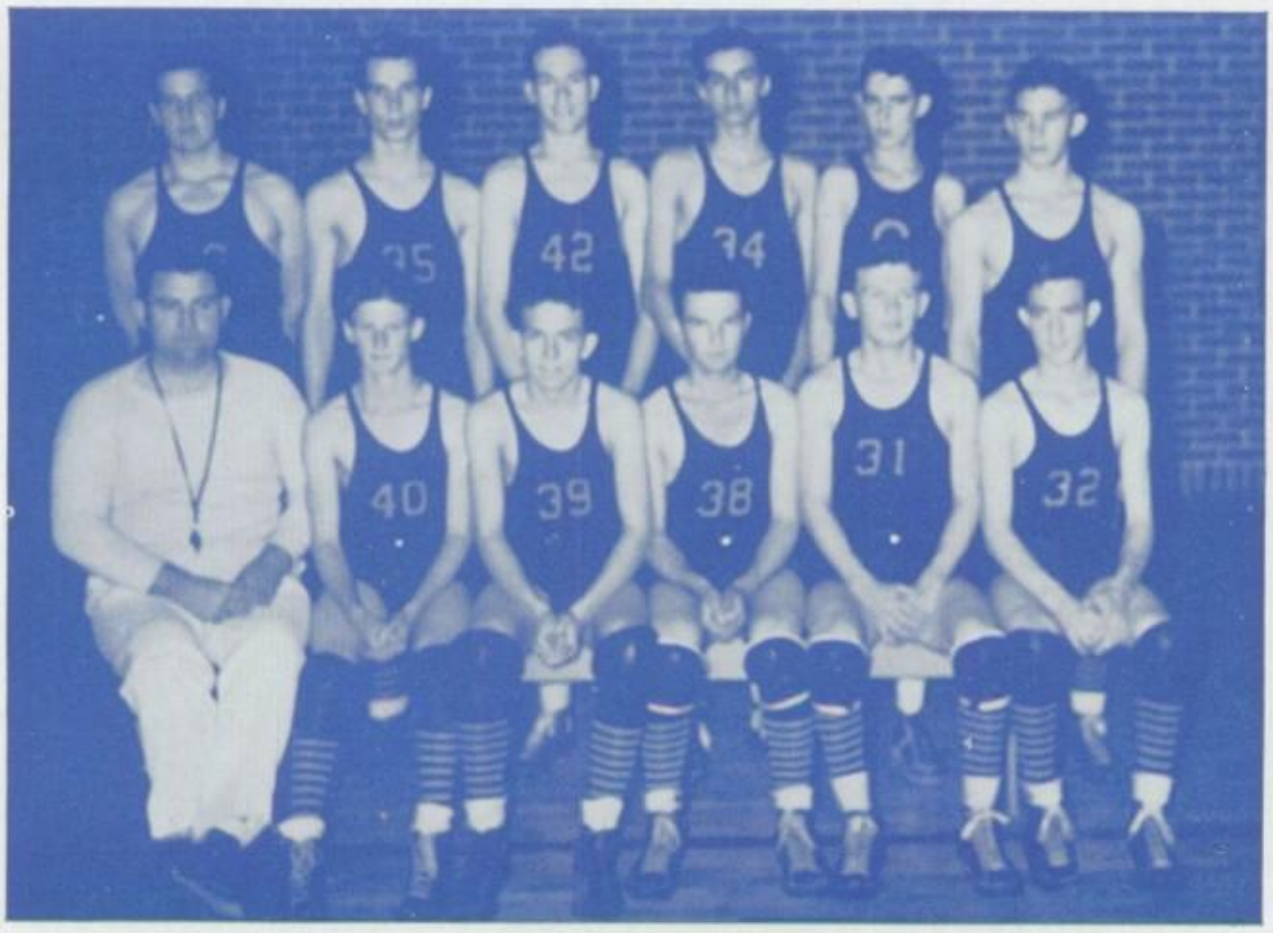
The Masons squeezed by the Parrots for the grid title of District 7-AA, with the final score of 7-6, before 19,000 fans on Thanksgiving Day. At this time the Masons and the Parrots met each other, having scored exactly the same number of touchdowns in each of the six district games.

The first quarter was a defensive game with neither team threatening. Midway in the second quarter a pass from Frank Smith to J. C. Phillips was good for fifty-four yards for the score. Earlier in the second quarter the Parrots had carried down to the Mason's twenty-yard line.

On their own power the Masons never were able to make a sustained drive. Fumbles and penalties helped the Masons' advance. From the two-yard line Hardy Brown scored over the left side of his line. Poly held the edge in the statistics column.

For the Masons Brown and Sealey stood out in the backfield. The linemen, Dewitt Coulter, Leonard Roach, and Billy Cagle, were especially good.

Allen, Brown, Peacock, and Smith played well in the backfield. In the Poly line Strahan, Phillips, Lyles, Moeller, and Watkins were mainstays on defense.



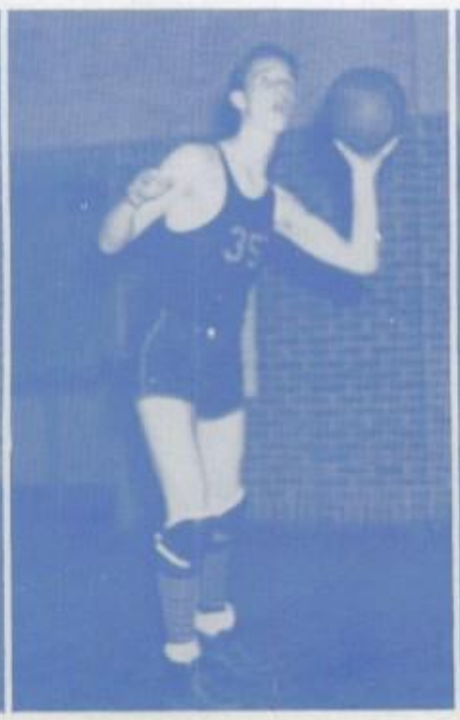
FIRST ROW: Coach Scarborough, J. McClure, W. Taylor, J. Foster, G. Brown, B. Donaldson.
SECOND ROW: W. McClung, J. Dawson, T. Orr, G. Smith, J. Davis, J. C. Phillips.

BASKETBALL

Coach Scarborough started his sixth season as basketball coach with nine returning lettermen from his last year's city championship team. The nine returning lettermen were William McClung, Joe Dawson, Frank Smith, Billy Walton, Gordon Brown, J. C. Phillips, Bobby Donaldson, Gerald Smith, and Jackie McClure. They had some good squadmen, including Thomas Orr, Johnny Foster, Walter Taylor, Bill Lucas, Richard Rogers, Jack Davis, and Durwood Sanders.

WILLIAM McCLUNG, Guard

William was one of Poly's most accurate shooters. Excellent players on the first team prevented William's playing all the time. Poly will miss the last of the McClung brothers.

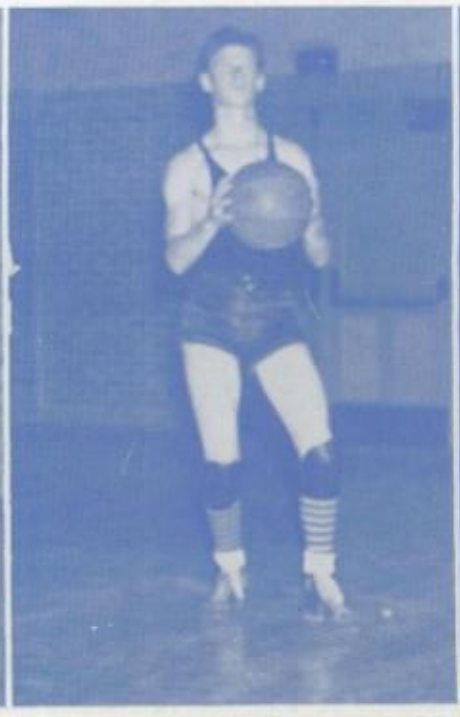


JOE DAWSON, Guard

Joe was always a scrapping guard. As one of Poly's best passers and scorers, he was a great asset to the team. Joe has lettered two years and still has two more years at Poly.

GERALD SMITH, Center

Gerald played a good brand of basketball at the center post. He scored many points during the season. His regular playing and good floor work stood out.



JACKIE McCLURE, Forward

Jackie was a game little player, playing good basketball all year. He played enough to make his letter.

ROBERT DONALDSON, Forward

Robert Henry was one the quickest players in Di trict 7. Often he wou steal the ball from the o ponents and dribble for field goal. He was on t all-district team.

The Parrots started the season by beating Arlington High School of Arlington by a very large score in two games. Highland Park of Dallas was the next victim of the Parrots by the score of 28-23 and 31-29. Other out-of-town teams the Parrots played were Cleburne, Slidell, and Graham. They won two games from Cleburne, but were defeated by Slidell once and by Graham twice.

They started the title race by defeating Paschal and Riverside in one week by the scores of 27-16 and 25-22, respectively. They next defeated Arlington Heights, North Side, Technical, and Paschal in a row. The Parrots were defeated by Riverside on an off night by the score of 38-21. After this defeat the Parrots won six games and lost one before losing to Riverside in the City Tournament at T. C. U. They won victories over Arlington Heights, North Side, Technical, Riverside, and North Side with Slidell winning in a practice game. The Riverside Eagles won the last game after a very exciting nip and tuck battle at the T. C. U. field house. The score was 32-24.

JOHNNY FOSTER, Guard

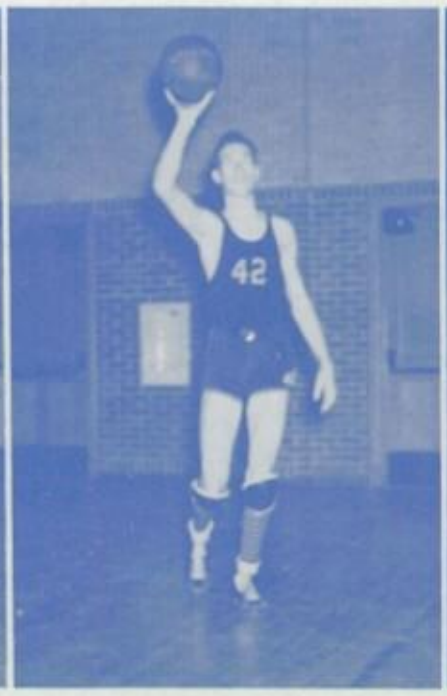
Johnny's ability to play good basketball won for him his letter. Coach Scarborough found his steady playing very satisfactory.

GORDON BROWN, Forward

Gordon was one of the best forwards in the history of Poly. He was a good, fast player and was always a standout as a result of his floorwork. He was captain of this year's team.

J. C. PHILLIPS, Forward

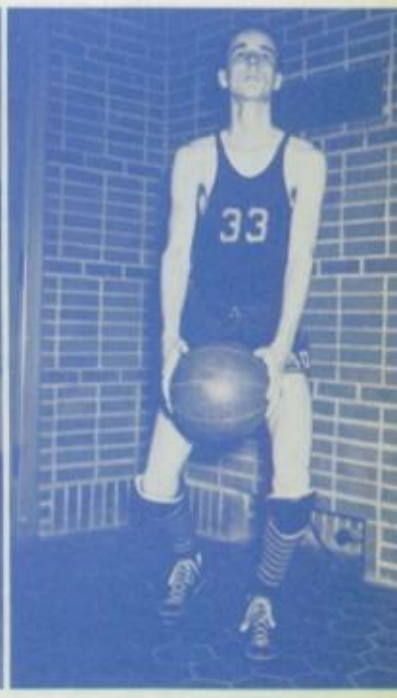
J. C. played brilliant basketball during the entire season. His pet shot was a one-handed push shot, which he made most of the time. His scoring ability made the news.



THOMAS ORR, Center

Tom played almost full time at the coveted center post. This was Thomas's first year to be on the team. He was mostly a defensive man but came through with points when needed. He has two more years at Poly.

Good luck! to a swell girl. Thomas Orr

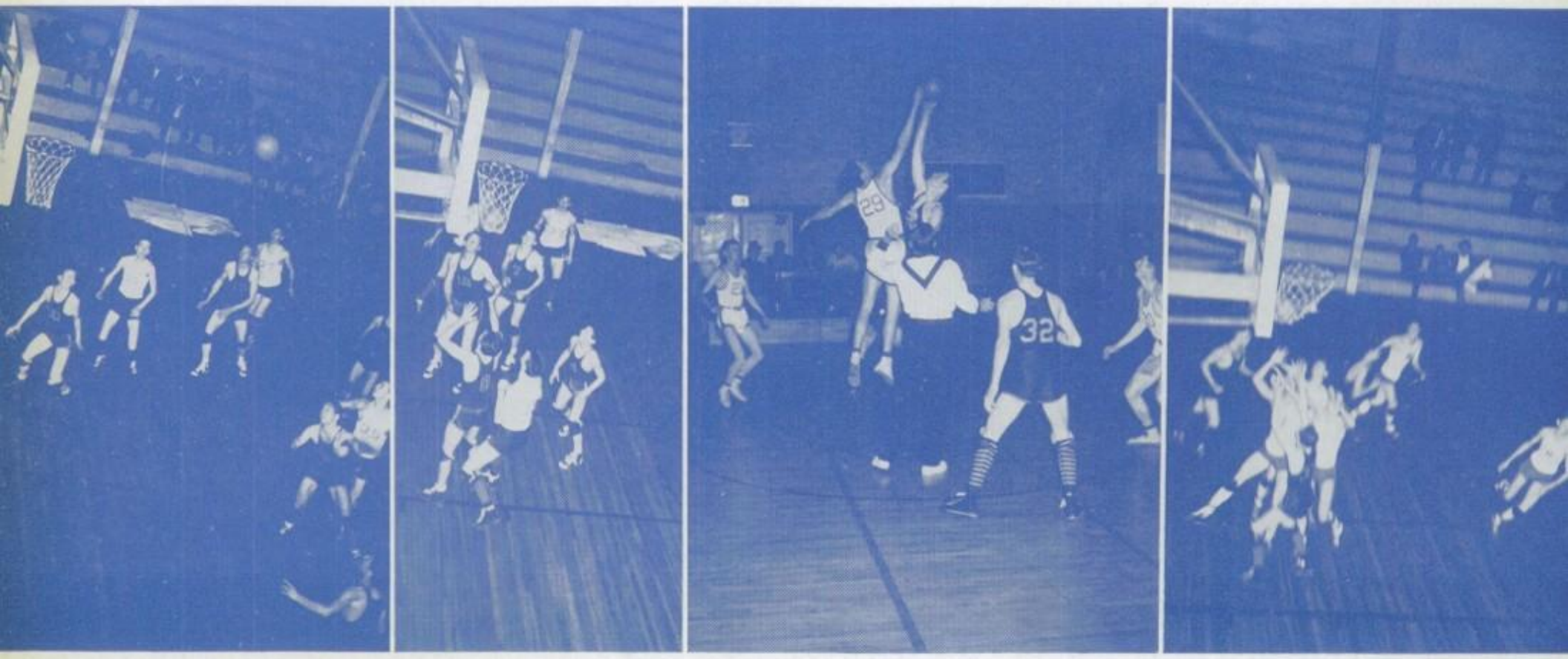


BILLY WALTON, Forward

Billy was noted for his able playing and his good sportsmanship. He made several points and played good ball, with speed and control. Billy was Poly's handy man.

The Parrots, by losing the last battle to Riverside, lost the chance of winning the city championship, but the Parrots won the city round robin. The squad this season won a total of eighteen games and lost only six for a percentage of .750.

In the six seasons Coach Scarborough's teams have not finished below second in the city. His teams have played 117 games with both strong and experienced clubs. The Parrots under his coaching have won 100 games and lost only 17. This is a fine record for Polytechnic High School.



Walton watches two points

Two points in the making for Poly

Jump high Thomas

Scramble under the basket

	POLY		Opponent
December 4, 1940	37	Arlington High, Arlington	8
December 10, 1940	28	Highland Park, Fort Worth	23
December 12, 1940	31	Highland Park, Dallas	29
December 13, 1940	27	Cleburne High, Cleburne	20
December 16, 1940	42	Arlington High, Fort Worth	16
December 18, 1940	26	Cleburne High, Fort Worth	24
January 7, 1941	27	Paschal	16
January 9, 1941	25	Riverside	22
January 14, 1941	27	Arlington Heights	17
January 16, 1941	37	North Side	16
January 21, 1941	41	Technical	13
January 23, 1941	40	Paschal	13

One more point chalked up against Riverside

"Flash" Donaldson goes high

Orr against Kenney

	POLY		Opponent
January 27, 1941	14	Graham High, Fort Worth	35
January 30, 1941	21	Riverside	38
February 4, 1941	38	Arlington Heights	31
February 5, 1941	23	Slidell High, Fort Worth	30
February 7, 1941	30	North Side	9
February 11, 1941	36	Technical	17
February 14, 1941	25	Riverside	18
February 18, 1941	36	Technical	22
February 19, 1941	26	North Side	25
February 20, 1941	26	Riverside	31
February 24, 1941	24	Riverside	32
February 26, 1941	25	Graham High, Graham	62
TOTALS	712		567

FIRST ROW: D. Royal, N. Leissner, L. Gracey, V. Wilson.

SECOND ROW: J. Walker, E. Moseley, P. Billman, R. Rucker.

CHEER LEADERS

FALL		SPRING
Robert Rucker	HEAD CHEER LEADER	Robert Rucker
Nelda Leissner	ASSISTANT HEAD CHEER LEADER	Nelda Leissner
Martha Faulkner	SPONSOR	Martha Faulkner

I. TIME OF MEETINGS: Called meetings.

II. MEMBERSHIP: Elected membership by student body.

III. PURPOSE: Lead student body in yells and keep their morale up.

IV. ACTIVITIES:

A. Lead yells at all football and basketball games.

B. Barn Dance.

C. Conduct all school pep rallies.

D. Party given by sponsor.

FIRST ROW: J. Lewis, H. Reynolds, B. Watkins, T. Newton, F. Smith, G. Brown, B. Peacock, A. Lewis, E. Myers.

SECOND ROW: Coach Scarborough, R. Wilson, R. Moeller, J. C. Phillips, J. O. Strahan, J. Jones, O. Lyles, K. Baker, Coach Horner.

LETTERMAN'S CLUB

FALL		SPRING
C. D. Allen	PRESIDENT	J. O. Strahan
Frank Smith	VICE PRESIDENT	Bayne Anderson
Robert Wilson	SECRETARY	Kenneth Baker
L. T. Scarborough	SPONSOR	L. T. Scarborough

I. TIME OF MEETING: Called meetings only.

II. MEMBERSHIP: Lettermen in any of the four major sports, football, basketball, track, and baseball.

III. PURPOSE: Foster spirit of cooperation and promote good fellowship among our athletics.

IV. ACTIVITIES:

A. Joint Banquet with Masonic Home, January 31.

B. Annual Outdoor Picnic and Swim Party at Eagle Mountain.

C. Spring football game with next year's team.

FIRST ROW: P. Poole.

SECOND ROW: J. Smith, B. Beardmore, W. B. Eaves, R. Boggess, B. Turner, R. E. Jones, E. Boteler.

THIRD ROW: Mr. Johnson, R. McDuff, D. Garrett, J. D. Owens, J. Imes, K. Frick, D. Mason, M. Hawkins.

TRACK

Coach Clifford Johnson, serving his first year as track coach, had only two returning lettermen from last year's district championship team. The Parrots placed fourth in the city with one of the smallest squads in the history of Poly.

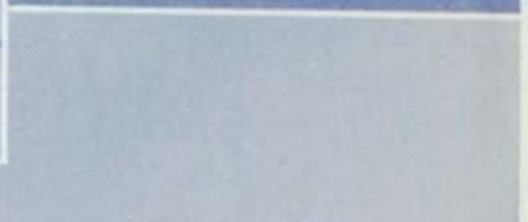
Although they did not gain many points, these boys showed up well for the Parrots. These boys are as follows: Donald Mason, James Jones, W. B. Eaves, Jack Imes, Douglas Garrett, Raymond McDuff, Robert Boggess, Joe Smith, Bill Turner, Bill Smith, Johnny Cassol, R. E. Jones, Tom Wright, and Bronson Beardmore.

The Parrots have a better outlook for next year's track team with such boys as Donald Mason, James Jones, W. B. Eaves, Bronson Beardmore, Douglas Garrett, Johnny Cassol, and R. E. Jones returning.

BRONSON BEARDMORE, DON MASON,
DOUGLAS GARRETT, W. B. EAVES
Mile Relay

DON MASON
Broad Jump

ROBERT BOGGESS
Pole Vault



ELMER MYERS, W. B. EAVES
440-Yard Dash

J. D. OWENS
880-Yard Dash

DOUGLAS GARRETT
High Jump

BILL TURNER
Mile

W. B. EAVES
100-Yard Dash

BRONSON BEARDMORE
Hurdle

FIRST ROW: H. Reynolds.

SECOND ROW: J. Foster, K. Andrews.

THIRD ROW: J. McClure, J. Maxwell, J. W. Whitaker, B. McClure, D. Cooper.

FOURTH ROW: Coach Berry, B. Peacock, B. Donaldson, G. Brown, J. C. Phillips, C. L. Hester, R. Murry.

Andrews scores against North Side

Buddy ready for a hit

BASEBALL

The Parrot baseball team, coached by Mr. Berry, who was serving his first year as baseball coach, came very close to winning the championship.

Losing the last game by a narrow margin caused the fighting Parrots to lose the title and finish third in the standing.

The season consisted of ten games, five of which Poly won. Four were lost and one tied.

The baseball lettermen for last year were Buddy Peacock, Douglas Cooper, Boyce Bales, C. L. Hester, Jack Maxwell, Gordon Brown, J. C. Phillips, Jackie McClure, Benny McClure, Bobby Donaldson, Kenneth Andrews, Howard Reynolds, and Johnny Foster.

SPORTS ASSOCIATION
OF
POLYTECHNIC HIGH SCHOOL

H. C. ASHBURN ..... Community Representative

J. P. MOORE ..... Principal

MRS. MAUDE C. WATSON — CLARA MAY MATTHEWS

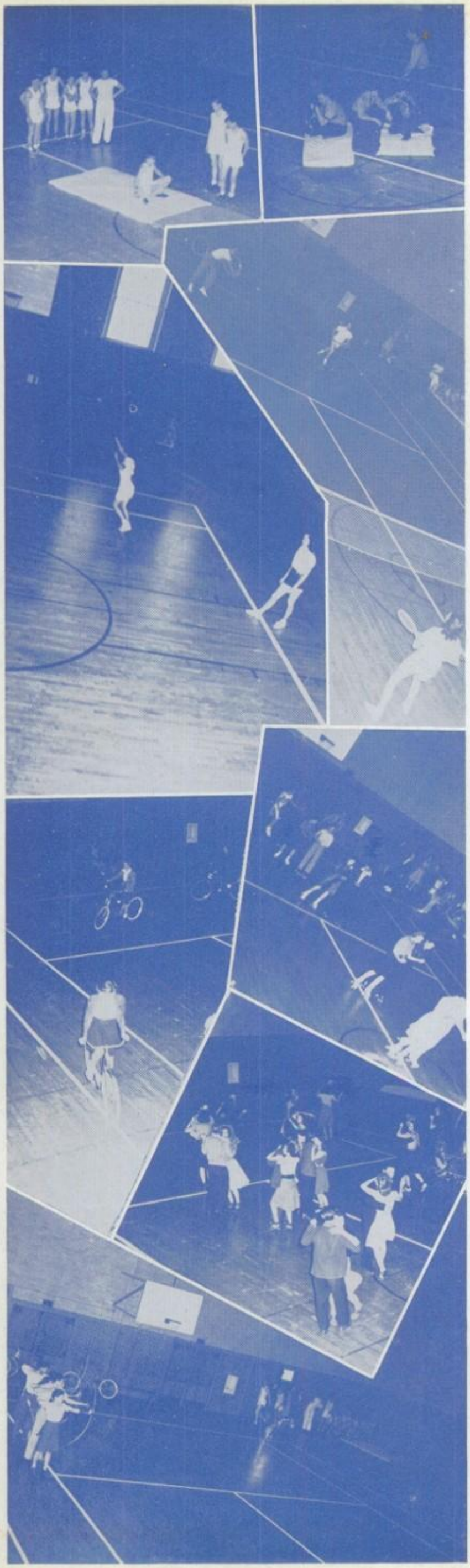
MRS. ALICE HALE — CECIL OWENS

I. TIME OF MEETING: In the fall.

II. PURPOSE: To promote worthwhile student sport activities and to inform the public of these activities.

III. CLUBS IN THE ASSOCIATION:

A. Tennis
B. Golf
C. Teams Sport
D. Bicycle
E. Archery
F. Skating
G. Riding
H. Dance.



TUMBLING

MARKSMANSHIP

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TENNIS

BICYCLING

SKATING

DANCING

ARCHERY

FIRST ROW: C. L. Brown, V. Higgs, J. Van Horn, D. Royal, M. Lipscomb, V. Thaxton, B. Heard, T. Cooper.

SECOND ROW: J. Jones, B. Burns, H. Gregory, B. Hancock, J. Garry, E. Cloninger, C. Mount.

TENNIS CLUB

FALL		SPRING
Virginia Thaxton	PRESIDENT	Virginia Thaxton
Charles Mount	VICE PRESIDENT	Charles Mount
Bobby Burns	SECRETARY	Bobby Burns
C. L. Brown	SPONSOR	C. L. Brown

I. TIME OF MEETING: Tuesday at 3:30 in room 35 or in park.

II. MEMBERSHIP: All boys and girls interested in tennis.

III. PURPOSE: To develop better tennis players and to create an interest in future recreation.

IV. ACTIVITIES:

A. Poly Tennis Tournament on February 25.

B. City-wide Tournament at T. C. U. or Sycamore Courts on April 30th.

C. Parties.

FIRST ROW: C. Cason, B. Malone, R. Lowe, F. Hudgins, O. D. Weaver.
SECOND ROW: Mr. Adair, R. Goodwin, B. Heimer, C. Mount, O. Bates.

BOYS' GOLF CLUB

FALL		SPRING
Charles Cason	PRESIDENT	Fred Hudgins
Robert Lowe	VICE PRESIDENT	Robert Lowe
Fred Hudgins	SECRETARY	Charles Cason
K. B. Adair	SPONSOR	K. B. Adair

I. TIME OF MEETING: Every Tuesday and Thursday at Meadowbrook Country Club.

II. MEMBERSHIP: Any person who likes to play golf.

III. PURPOSE: To further our relationships with fellow students and create a wider interest in golf.

IV. ACTIVITIES:

A. Compete with students in the City High Schools.

B. Won city championship last year.

FIRST ROW: A. Roquemore, P. Leaman, B. Schmalzried, D. J. Webber, M. Pascal, P. Leaman, J. Ledingham, D. Royal, M. O'Rourke.

SECOND ROW: B. Vickers, A. Wansley, E. Kellner, G. Echols, P. Hightower, V. Hill, P. Batson, Miss N. Terry, D. Overton.

GIRLS' GOLF

FALL		SPRING
Dorothy Royal	PRESIDENT	Dorothy Royal
Patsy Leaman	VICE PRESIDENT	Patsy Leaman
Dolpha Jo Webber	SECRETARY	Dolpha Jo Webber
Nina Terry	SPONSOR	Nina Terry

I. TIME OF MEETING: Every Thursday.

II. MEMBERSHIP: Any girl interested in golf or wishing to learn.

III. PURPOSE: Learn to be good golfers.

IV. ACTIVITIES:

A. Take lessons every Thursday.

FIRST ROW: B. Kirk, L. Dayton, E. Judson, B. L. Ivie, M. Spaulding, L. Spencer, N. Duncan, J. Bowden.

SECOND ROW: E. Nichols, E. J. Woodard, R. J. Cope, A. Wansley, G. Nobles, M. Tolbert, D. Hailey.

THIRD ROW: C. M. Matthews, G. Christmas, D. McClenny, M. Bennet, M. Edwards, C. York.

TEAM SPORTS

FALL		SPRING
Mary Spaulding	PRESIDENT	Mary Spaulding
Bertha Lee Ivie	VICE PRESIDENT	Bertha Lee Ivie
Lois Spencer	SECRETARY	Lois Spencer
Clara May Matthews	SPONSOR	Clara May Matthews

I. TIME OF MEETING: After school once a week.

II. MEMBERSHIP: Anyone interested in various sports.

III. PURPOSE: Enjoyment.

IV. ACTIVITIES:

A. Competition with other schools.

B. Parties and picnics.

TEAM SPORTS ACTIVITIES

BASEBALL

BADMINTON

PING-PONG

BASKETBALL

SHUFFLEBOARD

VOLLEYBALL

FIRST ROW: R. G. Cope, D. Robbins, N. Russell, D. Adrian, D. Copeland, H. Anderson, J. Watson.

SECOND ROW: W. Scott, J. Campbell, D. Kidd, L. J. Vinson, A. Herring, B. Ogletree, B. Herring, Miss C. Owens.

THIRD ROW: C. Sproles, H. Geddie, W. Wallace, B. Fisher, C. Wheeler, T. Stewart, B. Craig, B. M. McCain.

ARCHERY CLUB

FALL		SPRING
David Adrian	PRESIDENT	David Adrian
Nannette Russell	VICE PRESIDENT	Nannette Russell
Horace Anderson	SECRETARY	Horace Anderson
Cecil Owens	SPONSOR	Cecil Owens

I. TIME OF MEETING: Tuesday after school.

II. MEMBERSHIP: Anyone interested in archery.

III. PURPOSE: To create a new interest in archery and to teach those who would like to learn.

IV. ACTIVITIES:

A. Parties.

B. Competition with other schools.

FIRST ROW: M. Garner, M. E. Arterbury, R. J. Cope, B. Miller, H. S. Ireland, R. Hall, M. Walker, C. Wheeler.

SECOND ROW: R. Blue, D. Hailey, C. Tolbert, V. Perkins, J. Davis, B. L. Erisman, Alice Ruth Pape, V. Bowden.

THIRD ROW: K. Rose, N. Dunham, D. Carter, C. M. Carr, B. L. Amman, R. S. Hightower, C. Crozier, P. Plunkett.

FOURTH ROW: P. R. Richardson, A. Millstead, M. A. Yager.

SKATING CLUB

FALL		SPRING
Jackie Lightfoot	PRESIDENT	Dorothy Carter
Dorothy Carter	VICE PRESIDENT	Jackie Lightfoot
Katherine Crozier	SECRETARY	Jean Davis
Katherine Rose	SPONSOR	Katherine Rose

I. TIME OF MEETING: Saturday at 2:30 at Daggett Rink.

II. MEMBERSHIP: Anyone who skates and attends one out of every three meetings.

III. PURPOSE: To develop skating enthusiasm.

IV. ACTIVITIES: Participation in P.-T. A. demonstration.

J. Adams, N. Moates, J. Hunter, J. Dunnam, J. Waits, C. Wheeler, M. Wood, Mrs. Summerfield, J. D. Owens.

RIDING CLUB

FALL		SPRING
Jack Dunnam	PRESIDENT	Carroll Wheeler
Melvin Wood	VICE PRESIDENT	Robert Rucker
Nina Moates	SECRETARY	Janet Adams
Jeannette Summerfield	SPONSOR	Jeannette Summerfield

I. TIME OF MEETING: Every Thursday afternoon at 3:30.

II. PURPOSE: To teach horsemanship and sportsmanship and to create a greater love for horses and the out-of-doors.

III. MEMBERSHIP: Elected by popular vote.

IV. ACTIVITIES:

A. Sunrise breakfast.

B. Weiner roast.

C. Presentation of medals.

FIRST ROW: C. Taylor, L. B. Young, R. Stanley, H. McLure, R. Rucker, M. L. Lee.

SECOND ROW: R. Peeler, V. Wenzel, E. Moseley, P. Richardson, J. Pritchard, E. Lawson, T. Bender, J. Richardson, G. Spurling, V. Cook.

THIRD ROW: V. Bowden, H. Still, R. Rufner, J. McClure, B. J. Sproles, P. Weir, M. Tallmon, T. Bates, H. Smith, D. Still, Miss Owens.

FOURTH ROW: Miss Matthews, F. Hudgins, B. Vickers, J. Merrell, J. Harris, C. Gentry, M. Williams, G. Schuttee, M. Mortensen, D. Davis.

FIFTH ROW: H. Gammage, D. J. Webber, E. Massengale, M. Keel, M. Alread, B. Hatton, F. O'Reilly, J. Jenkins, M. Hitt, B. Potter.

SIXTH ROW: C. Wheeler, M. Power, B. Craig, J. Reid, B. Reid, P. Billman, J. Reeder, P. Leaman, B. Malone, B. F. Goodwin, B. McClure, C. Poole.

DANCE CLUB

FALL		SPRING
Helen McLure	PRESIDENT	Helen McLure
Robert Rucker	VICE PRESIDENT	Robert Rucker
Mary Louise Lee	SECRETARY	Mary Louise Lee
Cecil Owens, Clara May Matthews	SPONSORS	Cecil Owens, Clara May Matthews

I. TIME OF MEETING: Thursday afternoon.

II. MEMBERSHIP: Anyone interested in dancing.

III. PURPOSE: To teach those who want to learn to dance.

IV. ACTIVITIES:

A. Gave program for P.-T. A.

B. Dances.

C. Picnic.

FIRST ROW: E. Smith, G. Conant, E. Smith.
SECOND ROW: C. Williams, B. Jones, J. Cannon.

CHESS CLUB

FALL		SPRING
Eleanore Smith	PRESIDENT	Eleanore Smith
Burl Jones	VICE PRESIDENT	Burl Jones
George Conant	SECRETARY	George Conant
C. C. Williams	SPONSOR	C. C. Williams

I. TIME OF MEETING: Wednesday afternoon.

II. MEMBERSHIP: Chess enthusiasts and those wishing to learn the game.

III. PURPOSE: To promote interest in the game.

IV. ACTIVITIES:

A. Tournament among members.

B. Christmas party.

For swell girl Howard Bennett '42

Dear Gladys,

Its been so nice knowing someone like you. Youre never disaggreable or hateful. And you laugh a person out of their troubles. I hope that you will remember me always and I wish for you all the best in everything.

Forever,
A true friend.
Barbara Suggs

UNITED STATES
RESERVE OFFICERS
TRAINING CORPS

OUR COUNTRY

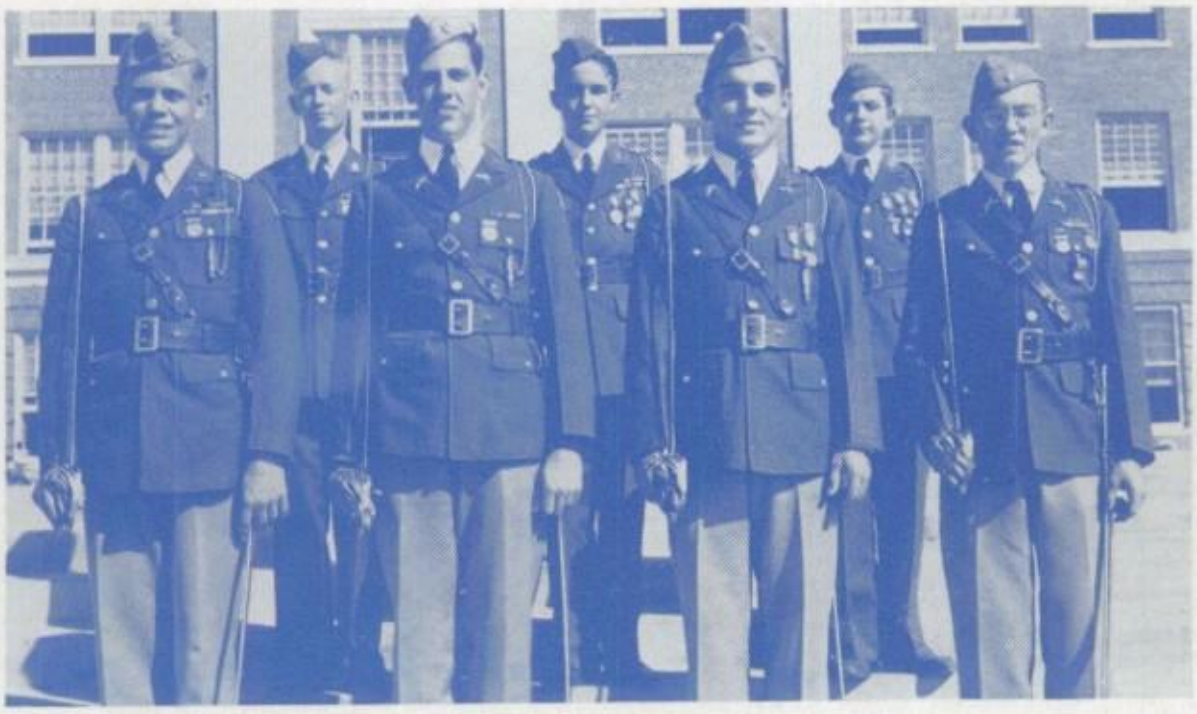
A GREAT PEOPLE DREAMED A GREAT DREAM OF OF A LAND WHERE FREEDOM AND JUSTICE FOR ALL WOULD PREVAIL THROUGHOUT ALL TIME. BY THE SWEAT AND BLOOD OF THAT GREAT PEOPLE THE GREAT DREAM BECAME A REALITY—THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA. TODAY WE ARE PROUD OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA BECAUSE IT IS A LAND OF FREEDOM: FREEDOM OF WORSHIP, FREEDOM OF THOUGHT AND SPEECH, FREEDOM OF INDIVIDUAL ACTIVITY AND ENDEAVOR. WE ARE PROUD OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA FOR MEN LIKE WASHINGTON, LINCOLN, AND JEFFERSON. WE ARE PROUD OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA FOR HER HILLS AND VALLEYS, HER RIVERS AND LAKES, HER CITIES, FARMS, FACTORIES, RAILROADS, AIRPLANES, AND SHIPS. WE ARE PROUD OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA BECAUSE IT IS THE LAND OF THE BRAVE AND THE HOME OF THE FREE. WE ARE PROUD OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA!

OUR FLAG

THE STAR SPANGLED BANNER — MAY IT EVER WAVE IN THE FREE AIR OF A FREE COUNTRY. SYMBOL OF ALL THAT IS GOOD AND GREAT, THE FLAG OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA MEANS MORE TODAY IN THE FACE OF WORLD DIFFICULTIES THAN EVER BEFORE. BENEATH ITS BLAZING COLORS WE FEEL SAFE AND HAPPY. TO IT WE TURN FOR PROTECTION. IN RETURN WE PLEDGE TO IT OUR LOVE, DEVOTION, AND OUR BLOOD IF NECESSARY.

"I PLEDGE ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND TO THE REPUBLIC FOR WHICH IT STANDS; ONE NATION, INDIVISIBLE, WITH LIBERTY AND JUSTICE FOR ALL."

LIEUTENANT
ELBERT STANFORD PARR
Commandant



BATTALION STAFF

First Row: Lieut. Col. Ferrell, Lieut. Col. Jones, Major Hubbard, Major Johnson.

Second Row: Tech. Sgt. Nowlin, Staff Sgt. Goldsmith, Staff Sgt. Chambers.

SPONSORS

Lieut. Col. Balthrop, Major Thaxton, Major Lawing, Major Hall, Major Pless.

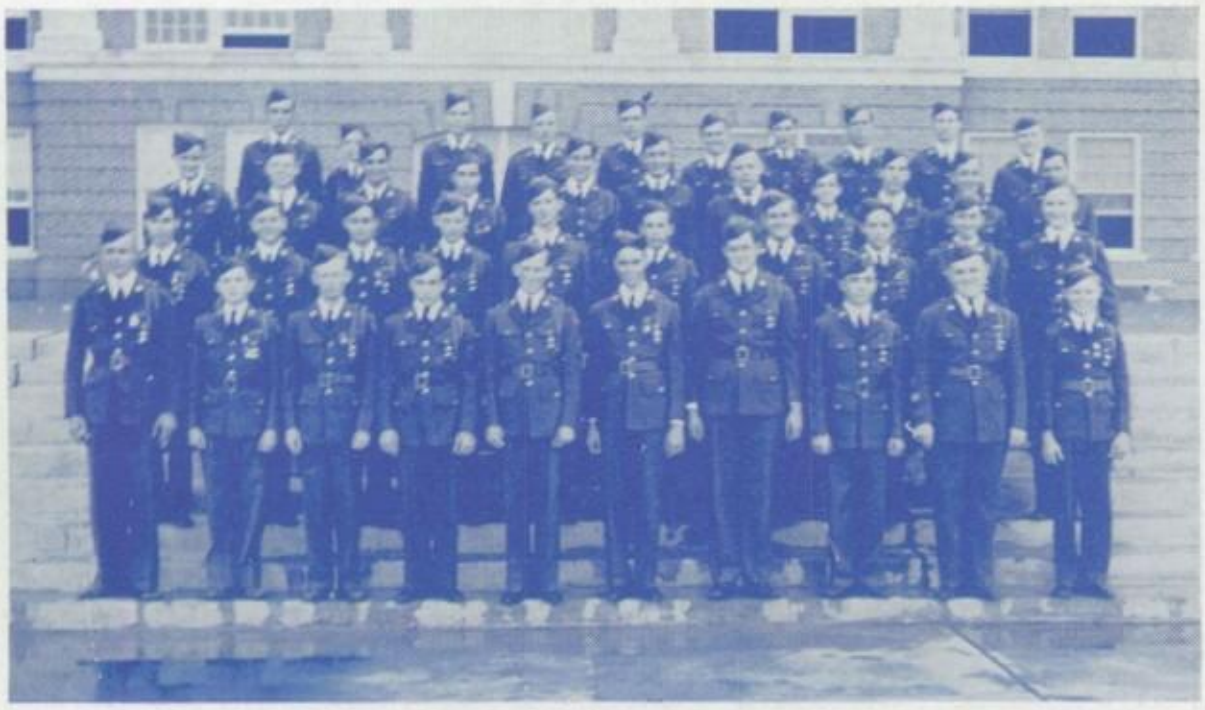
OFFICERS

FIRST ROW: Major F. Pless, Major E. Hall, Major V. Thaxton, Lieut. Col. E. Balthrop.

SECOND ROW: Lieut. Col. B. Jones, Lieut. Col. T. Hubbard, Capt. J. Johnson, Capt. H. Smith, Capt. R. Turner, Major J. Bales.

THIRD ROW: Capt. F. Herring, Lieut. J. McKnight, Lieut. J. W. Myatt, Lieut. M. Kelly, Lieut. B. Culver, Lieut. C. N. Guinn.

FOURTH ROW: Lieut. L. Malone, Lieut. L. Legett, Lieut. E. Ferguson.



NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

FIRST ROW: First Sgt. O. B. Smith, Staff Sgt. T. Chambers, Tech. Sgt. E. Nowlin, First Sgt. A. Cooter, First Sgt. M. C. Smith, First Sgt. A. G. McDaniel, Sgt. J. Benson, Sgt. F. Hubbard, Sgt. R. Hargraves, Sgt. T. Willis.

SECOND ROW: Sgt. R. Ham, Sgt. R. Roper, Sgt. G. Spurlin, Sgt. J. Hendrix, Sgt. B. White, Staff Sgt. G. Conant, Sgt. M. Wood, Sgt. B. Carpenter, Sgt. W. Phillips, Corp. H. Gilreath.

THIRD ROW: Sgt. R. Burgess, Sgt. S. Knight, Corp. B. Foster, Sgt. R. Roper, Corp. B. Boyd, Corp. B. Atkinson, Corp. A. J. Reinhart, Sgt. J. Corley, Corp. H. Brock, Sgt. J. Smith, Corp. E. Lowrey.

FOURTH ROW: Sgt. H. Austin, Corp. C. Peel, Corp. J. Stovall, Corp. W. C. Austin, Sgt. R. Greer, Corp. C. Seyster, Sgt. J. Goldsmith, Corp. C. Land, Corp. B. Simmons, Corp. W. Boles.

COMPANY A

STAFF MAJOR
Harry T. Hubbard

TECHNICAL SERGEANT
James F. Goldsmith

STAFF SERGEANT
Thomas Chambers

FIRST LIEUTENANTS
Fred A. Herring
Mike M. Kelly

SECOND LIEUTENANTS
LeRoy H. Malone
James H. McKnight

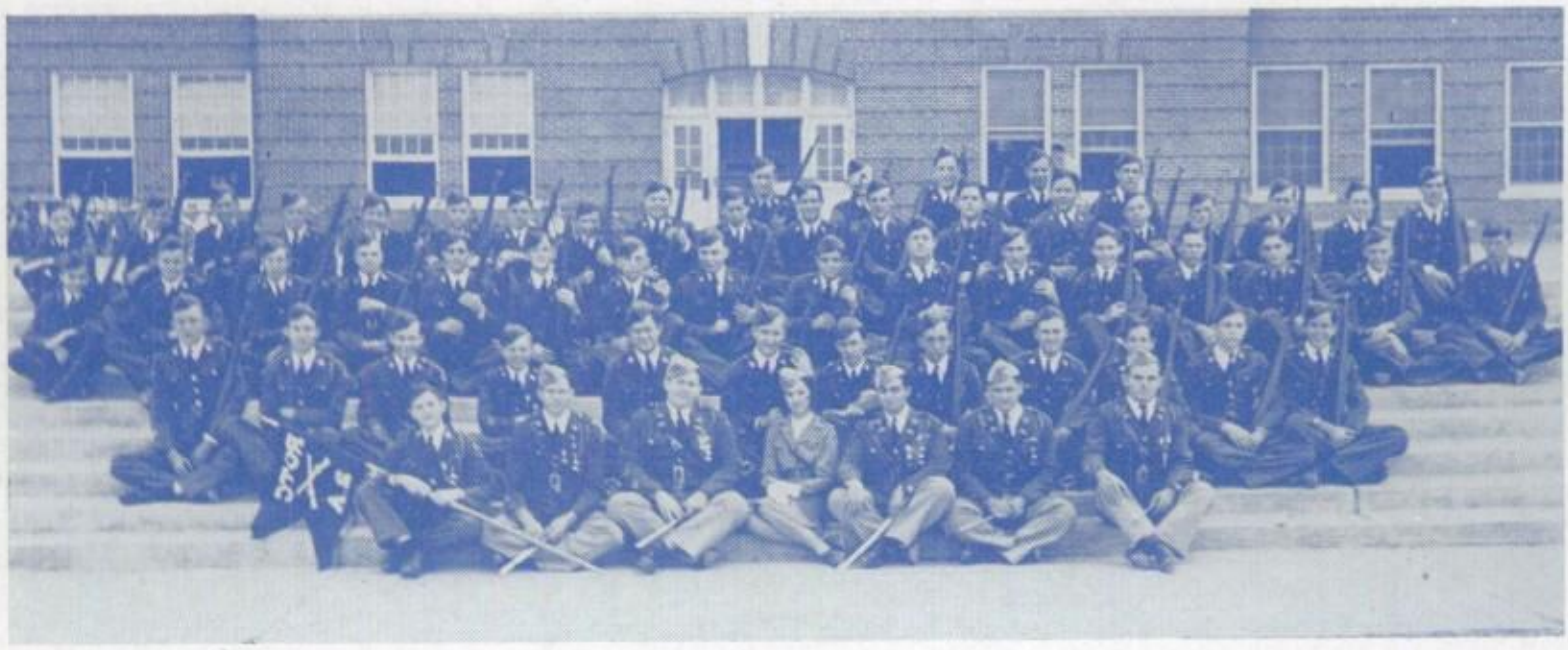
FIRST SERGEANT
M. C. Smith

SERGEANTS
Jack E. Benson
Wilford C. Phillips
Theo A. Willis

CORPORALS
Billy Atkinson
Bob T. Boyd
Jess A. Corley
Harold Gilreath
Charlie Seyester
Bobby R. Simmons
Jimmie Smith
James Stovall

PRIVATES, FIRST CLASS
Alvin R. Adams
Robert M. Boggess
Billy B. Fisher
Harold Glass
Weyman R. Grounds
Gus Kelly
Donald E. Little
Robert E. Peeler
Claud L. Thornton
Tom Turner

PRIVATES
William B. Akin
Homer Allen
William C. Austin
Billy B. Bell
Leo Box
Rembert Brown
Harrold H. Black
Jackie L. Cockrell
Albert B. Crabb
Rowland Drechsel
Robert M. Fears
William Finley
Richard Green
Robert A. Greer
Donald Hall
George E. Hall
Thomas H. Hoyler
Douglas Keen
Floyd R. Keen
Jack T. Malone
Lewis E. Mashburn
Jack Mathis
William L. Odum
S. F. Owens
Roy A. Ragsdill
Roy Al Rankin
Don O. Shewmake
Weldon M. Slater
Harry P. Smith
Johnie Stinnett
Charles Sumner
Harry Turner
Albert W. Tillman
W. A. Wallace
Billy Warren
Richard L. Webb
Jack D. Whitaker
Don Whitworth



The R. O. T. C. is a course of useful training offered students of senior high schools and universities. This training is one of usefulness in either peace or war. The organization prepares students to become efficient soldiers and officers. After finishing four years of college work in the R. O. T. C. a cadet then becomes a commissioned officer in the Reserves. But aside from regular military training, valuable character training and good citizenship are gained from the course.

The R. O. T. C. strives to make capable leaders not only for war and use in the army, but also leaders of everyday life in time of peace. The R. O. T. C. promotes health and strong physical being, respect for rules and laws which run our country, arouses a spirit of respect and patriotism toward our country and its flag, develops self-respect and discipline, promotes courtesy and consideration for others, and inspires cooperative action and team work.

In short, the R. O. T. C.'s mission is to awaken in the student an appreciation of the obligations of citizenship, to prepare him to discharge his duties as a citizen, and to qualify him as a leader whether in peace or in war.

As the Polytechnic Cadet Corps began to organize in September, it was learned that there was to be a new commandant. Major Sutton, better known as Captain Sutton, left early in the semester to go to an army officers' school. Lieutenant Parr, a former student in this school, was his successor.

The first five or six weeks of the fall term were spent in teaching the recruits the drill movements. Then rifles were issued and the manual of arms was taken up.

COMPANY B

REGIMENTAL LIEUTENANT COLONEL
Burl E. Jones

STAFF LIEUTENANT COLONEL
Gilbert L. Ferrell

STAFF CAPTAIN
Roscoe Turner

TECHNICAL SERGEANT
Edward I. Nowlin

CAPTAIN
James O. Bales

FIRST LIEUTENANT
Elmo L. Fergerson

SECOND LIEUTENANTS
C. N. Guinn
Albert G. McDaniel

FIRST SERGEANT
O. B. Smith

SERGEANTS
Lone J. Brannon
Billy D. Carpenter
Richard Greer
Raymond A. Hargrave
Robert S. Knight
Melvin R. Wood

CORPORALS
Horace E. Austin
Victor C. Branch
Homer W. Boles
Charles H. Brock
Richard M. Burgess
Paul E. DeLamar
William C. Land
Charles A. Lowry

PRIVATES, FIRST CLASS
Billy L. Cleaver
James F. Hudgins
Raymond A. Huddle
Mahlon L. Keel
Eben B. Smith

PRIVATES
Billy D. Blair
Johnny S. Burns
Anthony W. Causseaux
Robert Casey
Robert E. Clodfelter
Jimmy A. Cooke
Charles F. Crabtree
Kenneth Duncan
Aron W. Foster
Ralph A. Hartwell
James Gambill
Boyd C. Mercer
Albert G. Mohn
Bobby L. Smith
Burt M. Smith
William Smith
Robert M. Stevenson
Vernon Sutton
Cecil W. Tims
James L. Watson
Julian P. Weir
Billy Wilbur
Weldon Ekman

Later in the year two social clubs were formed, one for the officers and another for the non-commissioned officers.

On November 11 the cadets took part in the annual Armistice Day Parade. The Polytechnic Corps formed two companies consisting of three platoons each, which marched behind the All-City R. O. T. C. Band. The cadets were in numerous battalion reviews this year. Two battalion reviews were held for the purpose of making moving pictures for the Texas State Teachers' Convention, which was held in Fort Worth on November 21 and 22. The officers of the corps ushered at the State Teachers' Convention. Another battalion review was held on October 2, when Lieut. Col. Whitson, P.M.S. and T. for the Fort Worth High Schools, announced the promotions in the Polytechnic High Cadet Corps.

A new experience was had by the cadets this year, in that a special review was held at the Polytechnic-Paschal football game. The corps paraded at the half and then stopped at the center of the field, where the two corps faced each other while the Polytechnic Band played "God Bless America," the cadet corps joining in the singing.

On December 17 a banquet for the officers of Polytechnic High School was held at the Colonial Country Club in honor of Lieutenant Parr. A sing-song was led by Lieutenant Colonel Ferrell, and Jackie Cockrell sang several numbers.

Miss Balthrop this year was elected faculty sponsor of the Polytechnic Cadet Corps for the second time. Each company also elected a sponsor for its respective company. Virginia Thaxton, Evelyn Hall, and Frances Pless were elected sponsors of Companies A, B, and C, respectively. Several picnics and parties were enjoyed by the different companies given them by their sponsors.

COMPANY C

STAFF SECOND LIEUTENANT
Joe J. Johnson

FIRST LIEUTENANT
Herbert E. Smith

SECOND LIEUTENANT
Buford A. Culver
Lester R. Leggett
J. W. Myatt

FIRST SERGEANT
Alvin B. Cooter

SERGEANTS
George F. Conant
Gus F. Hubbard
Robert L. Roper
James R. Hendrix
Gilbert L. Spurling
William M. White

CORPORALS
Bobby Foster
Roderick T. Ham
John L. Lemons
Charles H. Peel
Arthur J. Reinhard

PRIVATES, FIRST CLASS
Robert D. Maxey
James F. Schmidley
Thomas G. Stewart
Norman G. Wenzel
Herman F. Ward

PRIVATES
Jack B. Baker
James L. Basham
Leonard F. Breedlove
Leroy O. Calloway
Jack M. Calloway
George E. Compton
Jack M. Cooper
William N. Craig
William R. Crane
Lyle V. Evans
Sammy W. Faris
Claud W. Ferebe
Vernon W. Haines
Douglas B. Hardin
H. L. Harrington
Calvin A. Henry
Weldon T. Hess
Sterling A. Huddleston
Raymond J. Kennedy
Raymond J. Lain
Robert P. Lawrence
John D. McCoy
Jack D. McGraw
Gordon W. Murr
James N. Riddle
Ralph Rios
Edwin B. Stark
Harvey C. Still
Al Stricklin
V. L. Swift
James E. Thorman
Alfred H. Wells
Robert J. White
Roy G. Worley
Don L. Yeary

Other activities of the corps were ushering at the All-American Rodeo held at the Will Rogers Memorial Coliseum from November 12 through November 17. Football games were held in the afternoons between the companies of this school. Company C was the victor. In order to encourage high scholastic attainments for the cadets, ribbons were awarded at the end of each six weeks' period for the best grades in each particular company. All men in the R. O. T. C. who played as much as eight full quarters received a medal or a letter according to their choice. From January 1 to March 1 the rifle matches were held. Every man in the corps was given a try out and the high scorers were given a place on the rifle team to represent Polytechnic in the city matches.

ARMY DAY was observed this year with a review of the city's R. O. T. C. Corps at Farrington Field. Polytechnic was happy to take part in this review, even though it was a bit wet.

With the coming of spring the thing which every cadet looks forward to all during the year drew near. With spring came the Annual Federal Inspection, which came this year on May 8, and was held at Carter High School. With extra work, glistening brass, and shining shoes Polytechnic again passed this annual affair with "flying colors."

The very fine guidance of Lieutenant Parr is missed, as he was called on April 23 into active service in the army. However, the excellent services of Sergeant Robertson was secured. He was in command of the Polytechnic Corps for the remainder of the year.

EIGHTH CORPS AREA RIFLE TEAM

FIRST ROW: Lieut. Col. B. Jones, Lieut. Col. T. Hubbard, Lieut. B. Culver, Capt. M. Kelly, Capt. J. Johnson, Sgt. R. Burgess, Sgt. J. Smith.

SECOND ROW: Lieut. O. B. Smith, Sgt. G. Conant, Corp. H. E. Austin, Pvt. B. Greer, Sgt. S. Knight, Sgt. R. Maxey.

HEARST RIFLE TEAM

Lieut. Col. B. Jones, Lieut. Col. T. Hubbard, Capt. M. Kelly, Sgt. J. Smith.

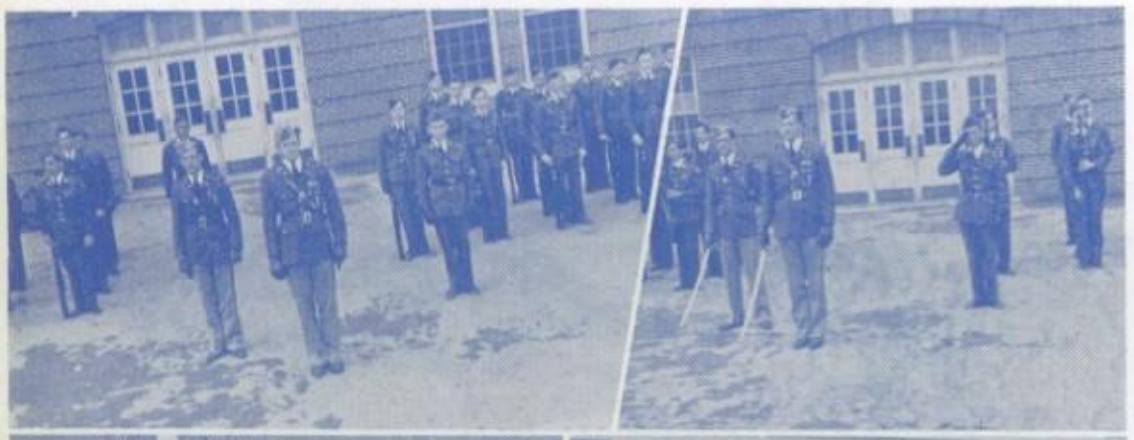
THE RIFLE TEAM

Every year as the days begin to grow longer and everyone begins watching for spring, the R. O. T. C. of Polytechnic starts preparing for its annual rifle matches.

Any cadet who feels himself capable of making a good score upon the range is eligible. Each contestant fires a ten-shot target, and Lieutenant Parr looks over the targets and decides who is eligible for the rifle team. These men are given numbers from one to fifteen, according to their respective scores, and make up the team to represent Polytechnic in the Eighth Corps Area Matches. These men fire four targets each, one for each of the four positions, and send them to Staff Sergeant Solberg, who computes the score and then sends it to the corps headquarters at San Antonio. Here the scores are judged against the other contestants from the Eighth Corps Area which consists of the states of Texas, New Mexico, Arizona, Colorado, and Oklahoma.

The highest five men are now picked to form the Hearst Team. These members practice daily for some time in preparation for the matches. When they fire their targets, they are sent as before to San Antonio. After a short time a bulletin is published giving the winners in this match.

This year Polytechnic was well represented in these matches, as medals were won by Lieutenant Colonel Ferrell, Lieutenant Mike Kelly, and Major Hubbard, for places in the Eighth Corps Area Matches. Also, Sergeant Jimmy Smith placed sixth in the Hearst Match for the entire Eighth Corps Area.



Attention

Present Arms

Right Shoulder Arms

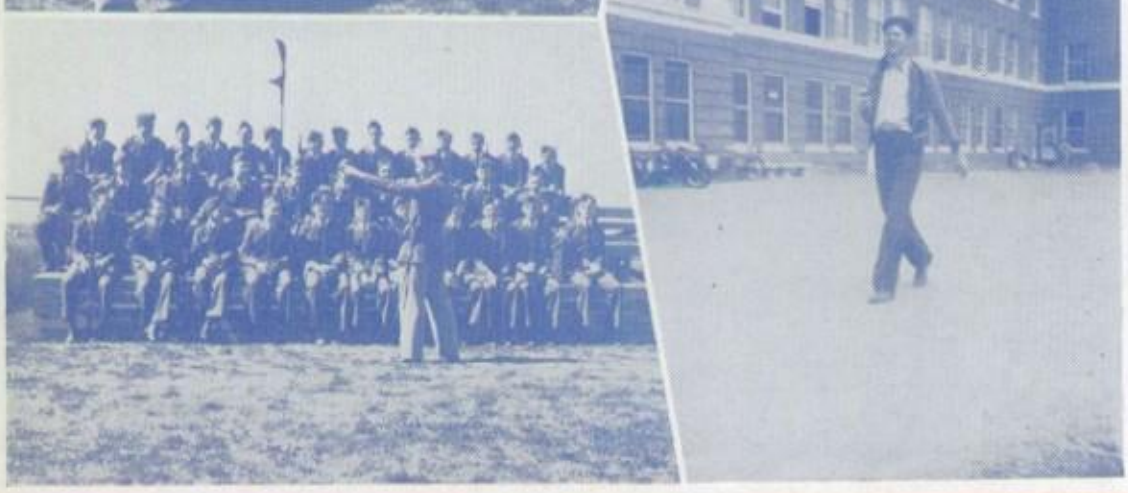
Parade Rest

Inspection

Extended Order Drill

Close Order Drill

Rifle Marksmanship



Group Instruction

Extra Duty

Formal Review

Eyes Right

Close Order Drill

Battalion Review

Lieut. Parr

Sponsors on Parade

The Band on the March

Cleaning House for Inspection

A scene for the All-School Movie

FIRST LIEUTENANT
Carl D. Armstrong

SECOND LIEUTENANT
John D. Burcham

FIRST SERGEANT
Floyd Acklin

STAFF SERGEANT
Jack R. Lee

CORPORALS
C. A. Hobbs
Billy R. Meacham
Merrill J. Stricklin

PRIVATES FIRST CLASS

Horace N. Anderson
John T. Beverly
Richard N. Bice
Harold P. Carter
Jimmy L. Childs
Clifton Clark
James R. Crow
John J. Garry
Jimmy L. Hargert
Jimmy A. Holden
James F. Hudgins
Bobby Malone
Ellison E. Oster
Johnny S. Reeder
Charles Shytles
John W. Skinner
Walter S. Vaird
George A. Vincent
Lejeune Wilson
J. M. Williamson
Carl G. Yeager

R. O. T. C. BAND

No, that's not the Army nor the Navy Band you hear, it's just the Polytechnic members of the All-City R. O. T. C. Band.

Polytechnic was well represented in the All-City R. O. T. C. Band this past year, as twenty-odd members of the Polytechnic High Band enrolled in this band.

Besides being members of the Polytechnic High Band and attending their regular activities, the advanced students celebrated and enjoyed other special occasions. These included performances for the Army Day Parade at Farrington Field on April 6 and the Annual Federal Inspection on May 8.

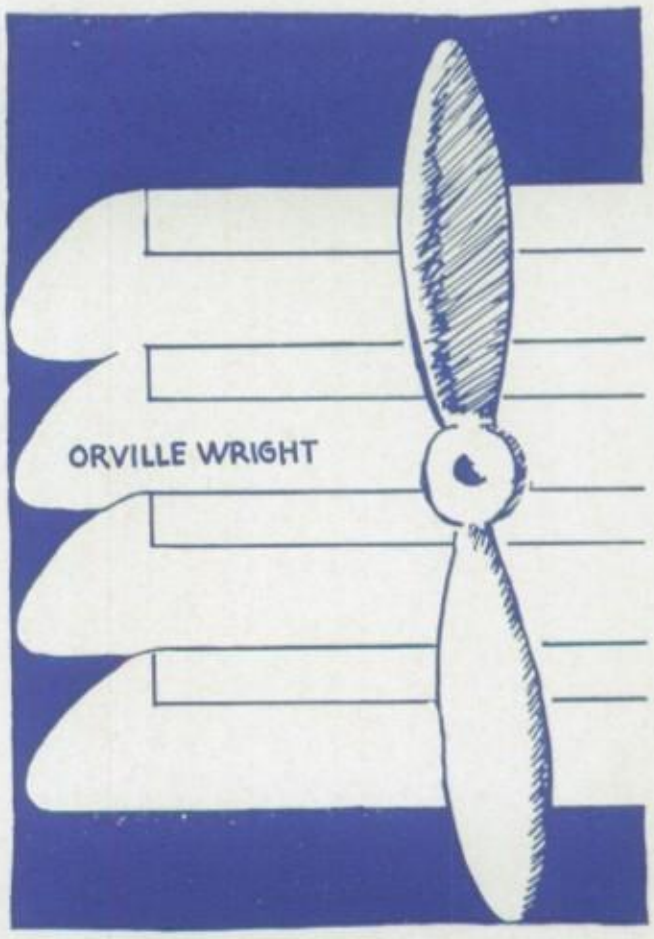
Frieda Lawing was elected sponsor of the Polytechnic Band and also served as sponsor for the All-City R. O. T. C. Band for the past year.

The officers from Polytechnic in the All-City R. O. T. C. Band are: First Lieutenant Carl Armstrong, Second Lieutenant Dwight Burcham, and Second Lieutenant Charles Hoffman.

The Americans

O BEAUTIFUL FOR PATRIOT DREAM
THAT SEES BEYOND THE YEARS
THINE ALABASTER CITIES GLEAM
UNDIMMED BY HUMAN TEARS!
AMERICA! AMERICA!
GOD SHED HIS GRACE ON THEE
AND CROWN THY GOOD WITH BROTHERHOOD
FROM SEA TO SHINING SEA!

E PLURIBUS UNUM



CLUBS

FIRST ROW: B. L. Whitehurst, M. Harwell, D. A. Cooley, S. Carmichael, M. Hitt, B. J. Chumbley.
SECOND ROW: Mrs. Fritz, A. Bell, C. Markward, A. Pickard, J. Dickson, Miss M. Martel.
THIRD ROW: F. Smith, M. Wood, L. Young, R. Adams, M. Ellis, C. B. Martin.

THE PARROT STAFF

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Other Assistants ..... Alice Bell, James Hendrix, Claire Betty Martin, Sally Carmichael

I. MEMBERSHIP: Appointed.

II. PURPOSE: To give Polytechnic students the best in annuals.

III. ACTIVITIES:

A. Christmas Party.

B. Picnic.

FIRST ROW: E. L. Cochran, B. Henderson, A. Marshall, R. Carter, J. Moore, M. H. Henderson, B. J. Roberts, E. Hall, H. Griffith.

SECOND ROW: J. Hale, L. Goodwin, M. Phillips, V. Bergeron, B. J. Morton; M. Lee, M. Lee, F. Pless, M. Graves.

THIRD ROW: T. Wright, B. Anderson, G. Ferrell, J. O. Strahan, C. Sellers, V. Hartman, R. S. Smith.

FOURTH ROW: C. Armstrong, D. Wisdom, R. Lowe, R. Moeller, M. Roquemore, M. Alread, O. D. Weaver, M. V. Keney.

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I. TIME OF PUBLICATION: Weekly—Staffs alternating.
II. WHO CAN BE A MEMBER: Students with "A" average in English.
III. PURPOSE: To inform student body of curricular and club activities.
IV. ACTIVITIES:
  A. Edited bi-monthly paper in fall term.
  B. Edited weekly paper in spring term.

FIRST ROW: R. Schilling, D. Adrian, N. West, B. J. Roberts, M. Pickard, M. J. Milliken, D. Schneider, L. Price.
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PENTA CLUB

FALL		SPRING
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I. TIME OF MEETING: Second and fourth Wednesday nights.

II. MEMBERSHIP:
   A. Regular: Three credits in mathematics with an "A" or "B" in last mathematics.
   B. Associate: Two and one-half credits in mathematics with an "A" or "B" in last mathematics.

III. PURPOSE: To study astronomy and encourage continuation of study of mathematics in high school.

IV. ACTIVITIES:
   A. Lectures and telescope observations on clear Thursday nights in fall and spring when the weather is warm and during June and July.
   B. Program given club my Parabola Club of T. C. U.
   C. T. C. U. entertained all Penta Clubs in city.
   D. Picnic.

FIRST ROW: B. LeFever, M. Wood, M. Ellis, D. Kelley, P. Leaman, P. Smith.

SECOND ROW: Mrs. Hornsby, G. Beckelman, M. J. Milliken, D. Greathouse, P. Sims, V. Hartman.

THIRD ROW: M. B. Murphy, B. R. Meacham, O. D. Weaver, C. Armstrong, E. Glass, M. H. Henderson.

NU-SIGMA CLUB

FALL		SPRING
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Melvin Wood	VICE PRESIDENT	Melvin Wood
Dorothy Kelly	SECRETARY	Marjorie Beth Murphy
Brenda La Fevre	TREASURER	Patsy Leaman
Mrs. D. F. Hornsby	SPONSOR	Mrs. D. F. Hornsby

I. TIME OF MEETING: The first and third Mondays of each month.

II. MEMBERSHIP: Fifteen active members and five associate members whose submitted manuscripts have been accepted.

III. ACTIVITIES:

A. Christmas dance.

B. Publish Agora.

C. Present an original play.

FIRST ROW: D. Loafman, J. Moore, V. Thaxton, D. Mitchell, M. Ellis, D. Schneider, M. H. Henderson, F. Lawing, H. Griffith, M. Lee, M. Lee, F. J. Mikeal, E. Smith.

SECOND ROW: N. West, L. Price, N. Greene, L. B. Covey, M. C. Smith, D. Cooley, M. Seyster, B. Donaldson, J. Reeder, J. Beckelman, M. J. Milliken, J. Cox, B. J. Roberts.

THIRD ROW: G. Leath, J. Hendrix, M. Wood, E. Kellner, G. Isbell, N. Sitton, J. Harris, H. Erisman, M. Roquemore, M. K. Shamburger, W. Brown, V. Hartman, B. Chumbley.

FOURTH ROW: L. Cain, C. Markward, M. Livesay, B. Walton, J. O. Strahan, G. Conant, M. B. Murphy, M. Jones, B. J. Morton.

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

FALL		SPRING
Mary Ellis	PRESIDENT	Virginia Thaxton
Virginia Thaxton	VICE PRESIDENT	Dorothy Mitchell
Dorothy Mitchell	SECRETARY	Betty Jean Morton
Margaret Newman	SPONSOR	Margaret Newman

I. TIME OF MEETING: Second and fourth Thursdays of every month.

II. MEMBERSHIP:
   - A. Pupil must have an academic rating as High Junior.
   - B. Recommended by home room teachers.
   - C. Graded on scholarship, character, leadership, and service by teachers who have taught them.
   - D. Be of the upper third of the class: Five per cent of the High Juniors, ten per cent of Low Seniors and fifteen per cent of High Seniors.

III. PURPOSE: To inspire all pupils with those ideals that challenge their highest and best powers; and to further education in general.

IV. ACTIVITIES:
   - A. Travel talks and lectures by world-wide travelers.
   - B. Parties.
   - C. Picnics and weiner roasts.

FIRST ROW: M. Perkins, D. Overton, D. Parish, J. Miller, N. Greene, J. Moore, V. Thaxton, S. Carmicheal, A. Bell, D. Schneider, L. Young, P. Leaman, H. Royal, L. Willis, D. Loafman.

SECOND ROW: B. Chumbley, B. Harris, P. Redden, E. Largent, M. Myrick, D. Royal, F. Lawing, M. H. Henderson, V. Wenzel, C. Dunivant, J. Dickson, M. Roquemore, B. Whitehurst.

THIRD ROW: Miss M. Witherspoon, B. Roberts, B. Armstrong, P. Hart, M. Lee, M. Lee, D. Webber, R. Martin, H. McLure, N. Leissner, F. O'Reilly, J. High.

FOURTH ROW: B. L. Smith, N. Scheble, N. Russell, D. King, B. J. Morton, D. Mitchell, J. Harris, B. Medford, M. A. Yager, L. Tannahill, I. Hagar, M. A. Slagle, V. Platt, D. McCaslin.

FIFTH ROW: M. Power, M. B. Murphy, B. F. Armstrong, M. Hammack, L. Lauritzen, S. Acuff, P. Sims, A. Coskey, M. Wildman, J. Lohmann, J. Nicholson, M. F. Roberts, B. Findley.

SIXTH ROW: M. Williams, B. Schmalzried, V. Cook, D. Perry, E. Kellner, M. Alread, M. F. Pressley, B. F. Goodwin, C. Carmean, E. Baker, E. Cargers, N. J. Anderson.

SEVENTH ROW: P. Parchman, B. Vickers, G. Hawkins, E. Youngblood, M. V. Keney, A. Roquemore, P. Batson, P. Leaman, J. Sandlin, I. Crittendon, L. Henderson, H. F. Erisman.

GIRL RESERVE CLUB

FALL		SPRNG
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Mary Witherspoon	SPONSOR	Mary Witherspoon

I. TIME OF MEETING: Every Wednesday afternoon, 3:40.

II. MEMBERSHIP: Any girl in Poly High interested in joining.

III. PURPOSE: To develop higher standards of girlhood.

IV. ACTIVITIES:

A. Luncheon at Den.
B. Christmas Carolling Party.
C. Pay dance.
D. Project—Helping needy family.
E. Rummage Sale.
F. Spring formal dance.
G. Mother-Daughter Banquet.

FIRST ROW: G. Schooler, L. Covey, B. L. Erisman, D. Loafman, G. Norman, Mrs. Wright, A. Chenault, S. Hampton, B. Green, A. Pape, B. Herring.

SECOND ROW: I. Shilling, E. Barr, D. Dennman, N. Moates, P. Bruner, D. Kelly, G. Echols, H. Collier, I. Hager, L. Johnson.

THIRD ROW: J. Harris, B. Goodwin, G. Lanier, R. Bagley, F. A. Snider, E. Jones, H. Erisman, B. J. Crane, B. Thomas, D. Dozier.

FOURTH ROW: M. Hester, E. M. James, B. L. Ammann, R. Blackerby, G. Isbell, M. Murphy, J. Waits, B. R. Utley, B. R. Wetzel.

GIRLS' GLEE CLUB

FALL		SPRING
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Georgia Isbell	SECRETARY	Georgia Isbell
Mrs. Peggy P. Wright	SPONSOR	Mrs. Peggy P. Wright

I. TIME OF MEETING: Second period.

II. ACTIVITIES:

A. All-State Chorus.
B. P.-T. A. Program.
C. Negro Minstrel.
D. Christmas program.
E. Assemblies for various schools.
F. Senior Banquet.
G. Graduation Exercises.

FIRST ROW: T. Wilson, J. D. Whitaker, W. R. Sampley, M. Darwin, Mrs. Wright, J. E. Dunnam, D. Davis, E. McGee.

SECOND ROW: B. Paxton, E. L. Boteler, J. W. Myatt, M. Kelley, B. Watkins, J. B. Elliott, B. White.

THIRD ROW: G. Spurlin, S. Faris, C. Evans, R. Stacy, D. Hall, R. Jenkins, A. Tillman.

FOURTH ROW: B. E. Wright, L. Carmichael, J. McKnight, H. Watkins, B. Kuykendall, L. Shanks, M. Loftin.

FIFTH ROW: C. A. Hobbs, H. Gilreath, B. Hancock, L. Malone, J. B. Cheek, J. Merrell, A. Blue, R. Jordan.

BOYS' GLEE CLUB

FALL		SPRING
J. B. Cheek	PRESIDENT	J. B. Cheek
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Mrs. Peggy P. Wright	SPONSOR	Mrs. Peggy P. Wright

I. TIME OF MEETING: Fourth period.

II. ACTIVITIES:

A. All-State Chorus.
B. P.-T. A. Program.
C. Negro Minstrel.
D. Christmas Program.
E. Assembly for various schools.
F. Senior Banquet.
G. Graduation Exercises.

FIRST ROW: B. Miller, P. R. Gean, R. Greer, M. K. Shamburger, B. Wacaster.

SECOND ROW: R. Hall, J. Cox, D. Huffman, H. S. Ireland, B. Elliott, I. Cannon, Mrs. Wright.

THIRD ROW: E. Hawkins, P. Oswalt, A. McCormack, J. Davis, L. B. Nobles.

FOURTH ROW: J. Cooke, M. Stewart, M. I. Reuter, O. McMahan, E. Nichols.

FIFTH ROW: A. Bell, M. Jones, B. Skinner, W. Turberville, R. Brown.

ORCHESTRA

FALL		SPRING
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Inez Cannon	VICE PRESIDENT	Inez Cannon
Polly Ruth Gean	SECRETARY	Polly Ruth Gean
Mrs. Peggy P. Wright	SPONSOR	Mrs. Peggy P. Wright

I. ACTIVITIES:

A. Principals' Banquet.
B. State Teachers' Convention.
C. William James Assembly Program.
E. Musical Comedy
F. Baccalaureate.
G. Graduation.
H. Annual Picnic.

FIRST ROW: D. Kirk, H. Smith, J. Cox, M. Ellis, N. Greene, B. Chumbley, E. Smith, G. Schooler.

SECOND ROW: O. Martin, B. Fuller, T. Willis, D. Adrian, M. Mortensen, E. Miller, B. J. Morton, M. V. Keney, J. Bowden, R. Brown.

THIRD ROW: C. Markward, M. Pickard, B. Eaves, M. J. Milliken, G. Beckelman, J. Adams, H. Hayes, P. Bennett, M. Hawkins, Mr. K. W. Dunkelberg.

FOURTH ROW: D. Chollar, L. R. Calcote, O. Cain, S. Knight, B. A. Walker, M. A. Yager, E. Beene, M. Roquemore, F. Hammack, M. B. Newborn, P. R. Gean.

FIFTH ROW: B. Collier, L. Cain, R. Hargraves, A. Stephenson, B. Walton, H. Gregory, T. Wright, J. McClendon, M. Maxey, E. Ward.

BIO-CHEM-PHY

FALL		SPRING
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Nada Greene	SECRETARY	Nada Greene
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I. TIME OF MEETING: First and third Tuesdays of each month.

II. MEMBERSHIP: Anyone making "A" for term average in Chemistry or Physics. Associate members: Chemistry students who made "A" in Biology.

III. PURPOSE: Promote scientific interest among the students of Polytechnic High.

IV. ACTIVITIES:

A. Weiner Roast.

B. Party.

FIRST ROW: E. Sargent, S. Carmichael, J. Johnson, E. Hall, M. L. Harwood, E. Smith.

SECOND ROW: N. Sitton, S. Hill, M. A. Cobb, E. Blanton, L. B. Covey, R. M. Wilkinson, Miss E. Martel.

THIRD ROW: M. Ellis, P. R. Gean, G. Echols, J. D. Owens, P. Stricklin, B. F. Goodwin, B. Phillips.

FOURTH ROW: W. Turbeville, L. R. Calcote, M. B. Newborn, E. Willoughby, C. Smith, C. Markward.

FRENCH CLUB

FALL		SPRING
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Polly Stricklin	VICE PRESIDENT	Polly Stricklin
Sally Carmichael	SECRETARY	Sally Carmichael
Evalyn Martel	SPONSOR	Evalyn Martel

I. TIME OF MEETING: Second and fourth Monday nights.

II. MEMBERSHIP: Any student taking French.

III. PURPOSE: To increase interest in French and to offer entertainment.

V. ACTIVITIES:

A. Valentine Party.

B. Picnic.

FIRST ROW: D. King, P. Reddy, M. A. LeBlanc, M. Wenzel, B. Myres, B. Brown, M. A. Slagle, J. F. Chumbley, G. Schooler.

SECOND ROW: M. A. Jones, E .Echols, I. Watters, H. Gilmartin, I. Crittenden, P. Batson, P. Leaman, D. Royal.

THIRD ROW: B. R. Cook, B. Chumbley, M. Pickard, B. J. Roberts, J. A. Karges, N. Russell, B. Lanier.

FOURTH ROW: B. Ellis, S. Miller, E. Smith, B. Henderson, C. Carmean, C. Clark, J. Davis, B. Findley, C. Limbaugh, J. Nicholson.

FIFTH ROW: D. Pressler, B. Hulsey, H. Smith, L. H. Armstrong, B. Burns, W. Lobheart, J. Holden.

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LATIN CLUB

FALL		SPRING
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Marianne Jones	VICE PRESIDENT	Nanette Russell
Bobbie Chumbley	SECRETARY	Jurene Nicholson
Cecil Taylor	SPONSOR	Bobby Burns
Mrs. Bessie Ellis	TREASURER	Mrs. Bessie Ellis

I. TIME OF MEETING: Fourth Thursday of every month.

II. MEMBERSHIP: Any pupil studying Latin.

III. PURPOSE: To increase our knowledge of ancient classical civilization, and to prepare ourselves for more efficient study of other languages derived from Latin.

IV. ACTIVITIES:

A. Parties in homes of club members.

B. Important speakers at each meeting.

C. Picnics.

FIRST ROW: B. J. Morton, C. Loafman, D. Loafman, J. Childs.

SECOND ROW: A. Roquemore, L. Henderson, E. Miller, L. B. Covey, J. Hogan, B. Joyce.

THIRD ROW: M. F. Roberts, D. Overton, H. F. Erisman, L. Price, V. A. Huddliston, B. L. Erisman, B. L. Ammann.

FOURTH ROW: L. Fox, P. Simms, B. Rushing, S. Tarlton, E. Youngblood, B. Medford, C. N. Guinn, N. West.

FIFTH ROW: H. Gilbreath, B. Crozier, D. Mason, J. Hendrix, B. Connell, H. Gregory.

SPANISH PAN-AMERICAN CLUB

FALL		SPRING
Carol Loafman	PRESIDENT	Carol Loafman
Dorothy Loafman	VICE PRESIDENT	Dorothy Loafman
Harold Gilbreath	SECRETARY	Harold Gilbreath
Stella B. Tarlton	SPONSOR	Stella B. Tarlton

I. TIME OF MEETING: First and third Tuesdays of every month.

II. MEMBERSHIP: Any pupil who is taking or has taken Spanish.

III. PURPOSE: To better understand our Latin-American neighbors and foster a closer union.

IV. ACTIVITIES:

A. Christmas Party.

B. Spring Banquet.

C. Annual Picnic.

FIRST ROW: B. Wacaster, G. Combs, B. Fuller, O. Caraway, H. Emery, T. Bates, J. Childs, H. Anderson.

SECOND ROW: R. Donaldson, E. Oster, W. Taylor, L. Cain, R. Smith, C. Clark, W. Jones.

THIRD ROW: Mr. Lacy, J. McMurray, C. Evans, R. Joel, H. Evans, T. Cooper, H. Ashburn.

FOURTH ROW: A. Morris, D. Wisdom, J. Wood, W. McClung, L. Wilson, C. Moore, E. Moseley, R. Jones.

HI-Y

FALL		SPRING
Ellison Oster	PRESIDENT	Arthur Morris
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I. TIME OF MEETING: Every Monday evening at 7:00 o'clock.

II. MEMBERSHIP: Any boy of the school who accepts and lives by the purpose and platform of the Club.

III. PURPOSE: To create, maintain, and extend throughout the school and community high standards of Christian character.

IV. ACTIVITIES:

A. Ceremony for new members.

B. Dance.

C. Party at "Y" for members and dates.

D. Banquet honoring graduating members.

FIRST ROW: E. Sargent, V. Thaxton, F. Lawing, J. Moore, N. Greene, E. Hall, M. H. Henderson.

SECOND ROW: J. G. Miles, D. Denman, C. Cason, N. Leissner, O. D. Weaver, E. Kellner, T. Wright, A. Hale.

THIRD ROW: C. Markward, E. Moseley, B. Malone, C. Armstrong, E. Willoughby, C. Smith, W. A. Tunstill.

K. Y. C. CLUB

FALL		SPRING
Mary Helen Henderson	PRESIDENT	Mary Helen Henderson
Erwin Willoughby	VICE PRESIDENT	Erwin Willoughby
Nelda Leissner	SECRETARY	Nelda Leissner
J. C. Miles W. A. Tunstill Mrs. A. Hale	SPONSORS	J. C. Miles W. A. Tunstill Mrs. A. Hale

I. TIME OF MEETING: Second and fourth Tuesdays of every month.

II. MEMBERSHIP: Those who are voted in by the members.

III. PURPOSE: To become acquainted with the various industries of our city; help promote the social functions of the school.

IV. ACTIVITIES:

A. Dinner and Dance at Mrs. Baird's camp.

B. Visiting the city's water works.

C. Going through the packing house.

D. Supper and Dance at the school.

E. School Dance sponsored by K. Y. C.

F. Midnight show.

TRUMPETS
M. E. Alterbury
H. Anderson
J. Beverly
R. Bice
R. Brown
C. Clark
J. Cooke
B. Crane
T. Dixson
B. Hergert
G. Johnson
M. Jones
B. Malone
B. Meacham
L. Price
R. Rascoe
P. Rios
L. Slawson
B. Turner

BELLS
E. Sargent
M. Walker
P. Oswalt

HORNS
F. Acklin
B. Donaldson
D. Swain
B. Thompson
W. S. Viard

BASSOON
D. Cushman

BARITONES
J. Crow
B. Judson
B. Kell
L. Wilson
J. M. Williams

BASSES
H. Carter
A. Ewing
J. Gambill
C. A. Hobbs
R. Pruden

CLARINETS
C. Armstrong
H. Ashburn
J. Childs
B. Cleaver
N. Coleman
C. Crabtree
D. Crow
C. Dodson
M. Fleet
J. Garry
F. Hudgins
J. Lee
B. Mercer
E. Oster
J. D. Owens
A. Pate
J. Reeder
M. Stricklin
R. Tillotson
J. Walker
G. Vincent
E. Willoughby
C. Yeager

SAXAPHONES
T. Bates
M. Maxey
B. McRae
J. Miller
M. Perkins
B. Turner

FLUTES
B. Ingram
B. Torbet
P. Pace

DRUMS
J. Campbell
D. Dozier
C. Dozier
V. Hughes
B. Johnson
J. Lee
M. McMurry
C. Shytles
E. Ward

TROMBONES
D. Burcham
J. Holden
F. Suttle
V. Suttor

BAND

FALL		SPRING
Charles Hoffman	STUDENT CONDUCTOR	Marion Jones Carl Armstrong
Maidee Keeton	DRUM MAJOR	Maidee Keeton
June Miller Dorothy Graves Betty Turner	TWIRLERS	June Miller Dorothy Graves Betty Turner
Jackie Watson Shirley Boothe Charlotte Swart	MASCOTS	Jackie Watson Shirley Boothe Charlotte Swart
Perry Sandifer	SPONSOR	Perry Sandifer

I. TIME OF MEETING: Every day at 1:30-2:30.

II. MEMBERSHIP: Any Band musician.

III. PURPOSE: To progress in music through self-participation.

IV. ACTIVITIES:

A. New Uniforms.
B. Football games.
C. Parades.
D. Exchange concerts with other school bands.
E. Spring Concert—Outdoor Theatre.

A bit of tragedy

MAIZIE

A fantasy

THE WILL-O-THE-WISP

Melodrama

THE VILLIAN STILL PERSUES HER

Drama

STARK TRAGEDY OF 1350

More Drama

BOCACCIO'S UNTOLD TALE

Dear Gladys,

Lots of luck, plenty of cute boys, and a grand time all the rest of your life.

Dulce Dolores Dittmore

PLAYERS OF THE YEAR

WINNERS

LUCILLE QUEENE—First place in Ninth Grade Fire Prevention Contest.

TOM WRIGHT—Second place in City Ready Writers.

ART

JACK HARGIS—Scholarship to the New York School of Fine and Applied Art, New York City; in the High School Art Contest sponsored by Scholastic Magazine.

MELVIN WOOD—Won art scholarship to Texas Wesleyan College for his picture, "Still Life."

RUSSELL BYTHER—First place in crayon drawing in Fort Worth Art Association Show.

MELVIN WOOD—Honorable mention in textile design in Fort Worth Art Association Show.

DECLAMATION

ELLISON OSTER—Second place for senior boys.

NU SIGMA

Short Story:
Lonnie Hudkins—First place
James McKnight—Second place
Betty Lou Erisman—Third place

Essay:
Erwin Willoughby—First place

Poetry:
Mary Alice Yeager—First place

Best Material from The Parrakeet:
Bayne Anderson
Marilyn Roquemore

GOLF

ROBERT LOWE—Medalist of the Tournament; Runner-up in the championship consolation flight.

SPUD CASON—Winner of the championship consolation flight.

BOBBY MALONE—Winner of the second flight.

POLY TEAM—Placed third in the team competition.

TRACK

JACK IMES—Second in Broad Jump.
DON MASON—Fourth in Broad Jump.
BILL TURNER—Second in Mile Run.
RELAY TEAM—Fourth in 440 Sprint Relay.
RICHARD BOGGESS—Third in Pole Vault.

JAMES JONES
RAYMOND McDUFF
JACK IMES
DON MASON
Fourth in Mile Relay.

DOUGLAS GARRETT—Fourth in High Jump.

OUR DEFENSE

WHEN DANGER THREATENS THE FREEDOM OUR FOREFATHERS FOUGHT FOR, DIED FOR, AND WON, THERE IS ONLY ONE COURSE FOR US TO PURSUE. WE MUST PREPARE TO DEFEND THEM, IF NECESSARY, DEFEND WITH EVERY OUNCE OF THE LOYAL BLOOD THAT FLOWS THROUGH OUR VEINS THAT FREEDOM AND LIBERTY THAT IS SO DEAR TO THE HEART OF EVERY TRUE AMERICAN. THE CHAMPIONS OF HATE AND OPPRESSION USE A DREADFUL WEAPON IN SECURING THEIR GOALS—WAR. MAN HAS FOUND NO WAY TO COMBAT WAR BESIDES WAR. WHEN THE TIME COMES THAT OUR WAY OF LIFE, OUR HOMES, OUR FREEDOM ARE THREATENED BY WAR, WE SHALL ANSWER WITH A BRAVE HEART, "WE STAND READY TO DEFEND OUR COUNTRY, OUR FLAG, OUR HOMES, AND OUR FAMILIES WITH ALL OUR STRENGTH."

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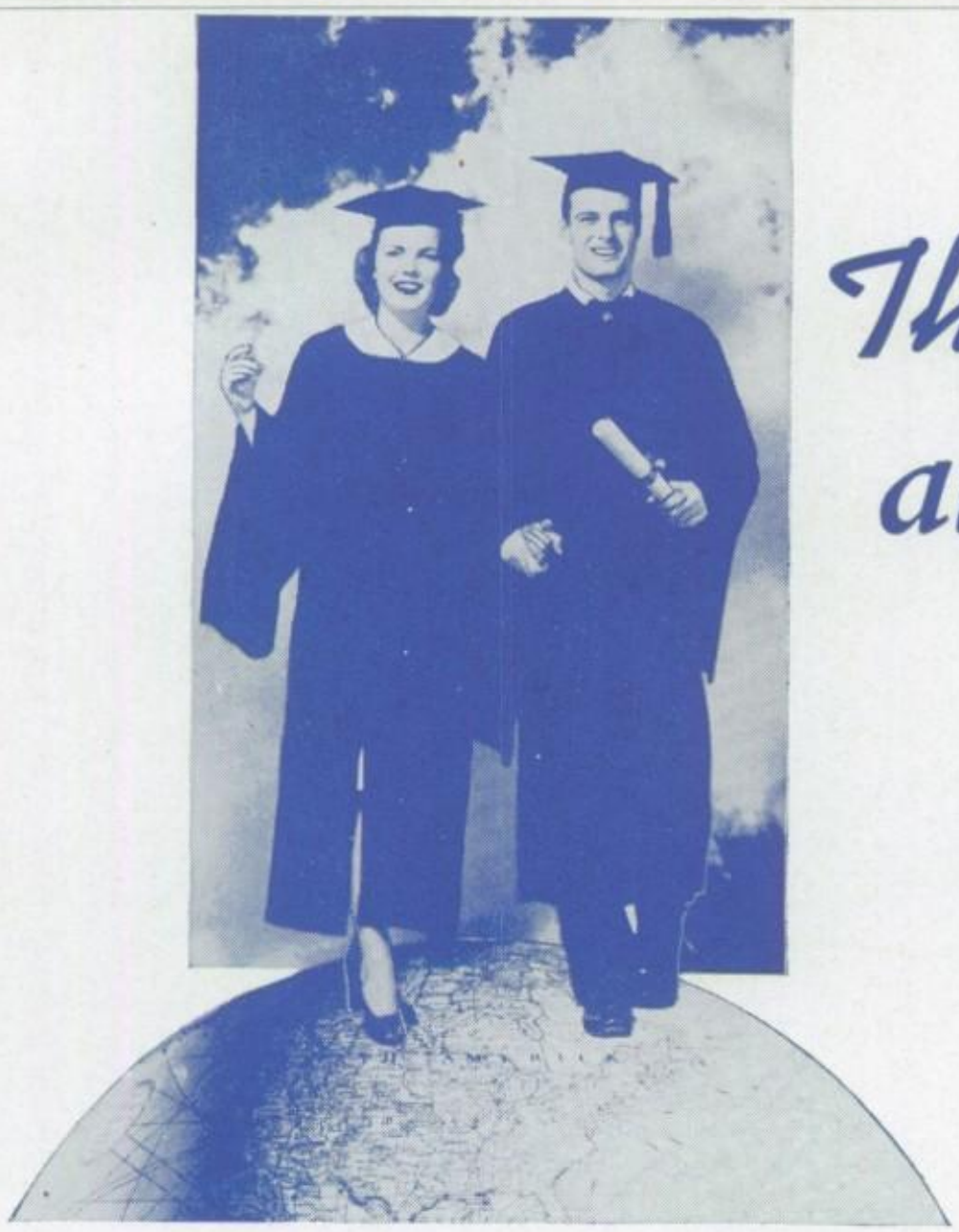

The WORLD at your feet

YOU who graduate today are our citizens and leaders of tomorrow. The tumultuous world into which you now step challenges each of us to make it a better place in which to live — a place where freedom and justice shall prevail. Let the knowledge and *principles of right* learned in school aid you in building a solid foundation for good citizenship *as we want it in America.* Let those qualities of character so essential to self-support and self-respect — integrity, good judgment and thriftiness— help you in conquering the world at your feet.

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"Bud"

Charles at home
Charles at work

Don't miss
Old Faithful

Anything for a laugh
Intermission boy

Annual Staff at work!

Stepping high
Matthews's cuties

Yes, we notice!

Children are natural mimics. They act like their teachers in spite of efforts to teach them better manners.

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Joe didn't listen, look or stop,
So they dragged his fliver to a stop.
It only took a week or two
To make the car look good as new.
But though they hunted high and low
They found no extra parts for Joe.

GREAT MEN . . . AND WOMEN, LIKE GREAT INSTITUTIONS, MUST HAVE CHARACTER TO SUCCEED.

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* * *

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Swing it Dorothy

We know you now

Whose pulling who?

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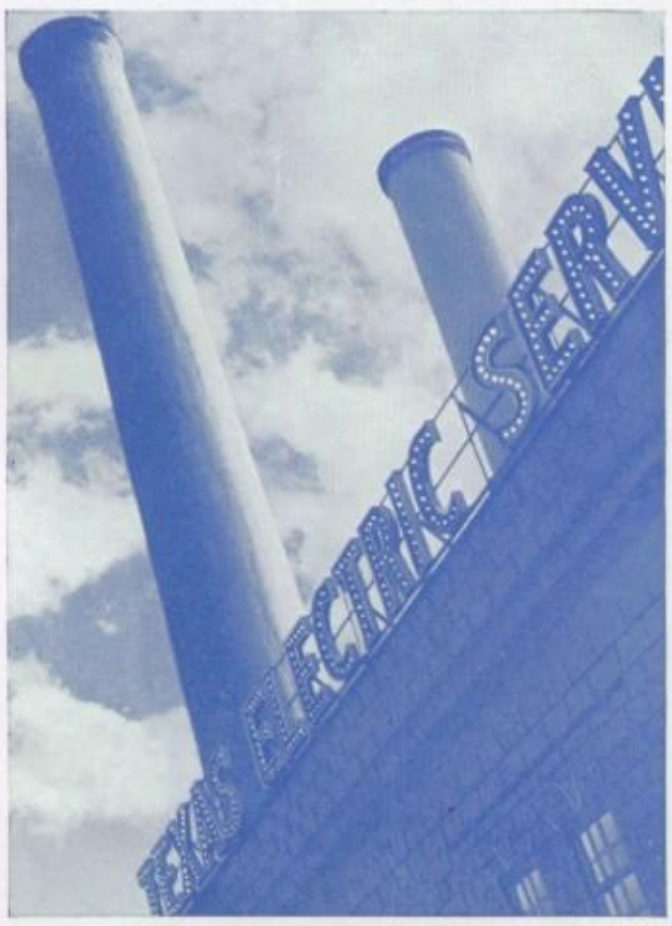

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"Wh-wh-wh-where?" asked the other.

Ah, h-h-hhell, we'll have to h-h-heat it again."

RAINY DAY

The wet streets glisten
Under the dull gray sky.
Dripping trees stretch
Thin arms upward,
Reaching for sunlight
The cold drops fall
Incessently,
Monotonously,
Drip, drip, drip.
A stray dog slinks
Forelornly
Through the penetrating drizzle,
Shivering with hunger.
People scurry along the slick walks
With bobbing umbrellas,
Hurrying to warm homes.
Gloomy dusk settles thickly.
Golden lights flicker to life.
Curtains are drawn, enclosing the
Warmth into a cosy room.
While voices hum contentedly.
Laughter spills in golden bubbles
Into the chilly night.

Dorothy Mason

SOUVENIRS

A sweet reminiscence
Of summer remains—
A battered timetable
Of Florida trains,
A torn bathing cap,
And some sun-burn lotion,
A sandle (the other
Got lost in the ocean.)
A pink dancing frock
With one ragged flounce,
Two tennis balls
Without any bounce.
A broken golf club
And a winning bridge score,
A crowded dance program—
(They all asked for more.)
A shoe with the heel off,
A faded pressed rose,
A snapshot of you,
A pair of torn hose.
A glorious sun-tan,
A cold in the head,
A beautiful summer,
A week-end in bed!

Dorothy Mason

AUTOGRAPHS

Dearest Gladys
The world is full
of people, some good
and some bad. Every
day we meet the public people
with smiles and frowns
But Gladys the people who
wear the smiles are the first people
you like to know. The first time I saw
your face I was meeting with
a smile. I have never
forgotten. I was new here in Paly
and so were you and I was thinking
that people were mighty cold until
I met you. Your eyes came shining into mine
and I knew that day
I had a special place
in my heart where I put special people.
You have been the ability to make
friends and keep them
those few, to whom I am grateful
will always have friends
I wish, to wish you the
health, and prosperity that you
richly deserve. I'm not saying this
just to fill up space — I'm saying it
from the bottom of my heart.
Forever yours,
Carol

REDBUD

You stand forlornly
Cold and bare.
A gloomy sentinel.
There with branches stripped
Of green
Nor bird's nests
In between your boughs.

Do you dream of coming Spring?
Swelling buds,
Birds to sing sweetly
Mid'st your greener leaves
And gayest flowers?

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And through the gloom
Of quiet summer night
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Boy Friend. "Your lipstick is coming off."

Sally: "Oh, no it isn't."

Interval of time. (Silence)

Boy Friend: "I told you it was coming off."

Robber: "Don't be scairt, lady, all I want is your money."

Old Maid: "Oh, go away! You're just like all the other men."

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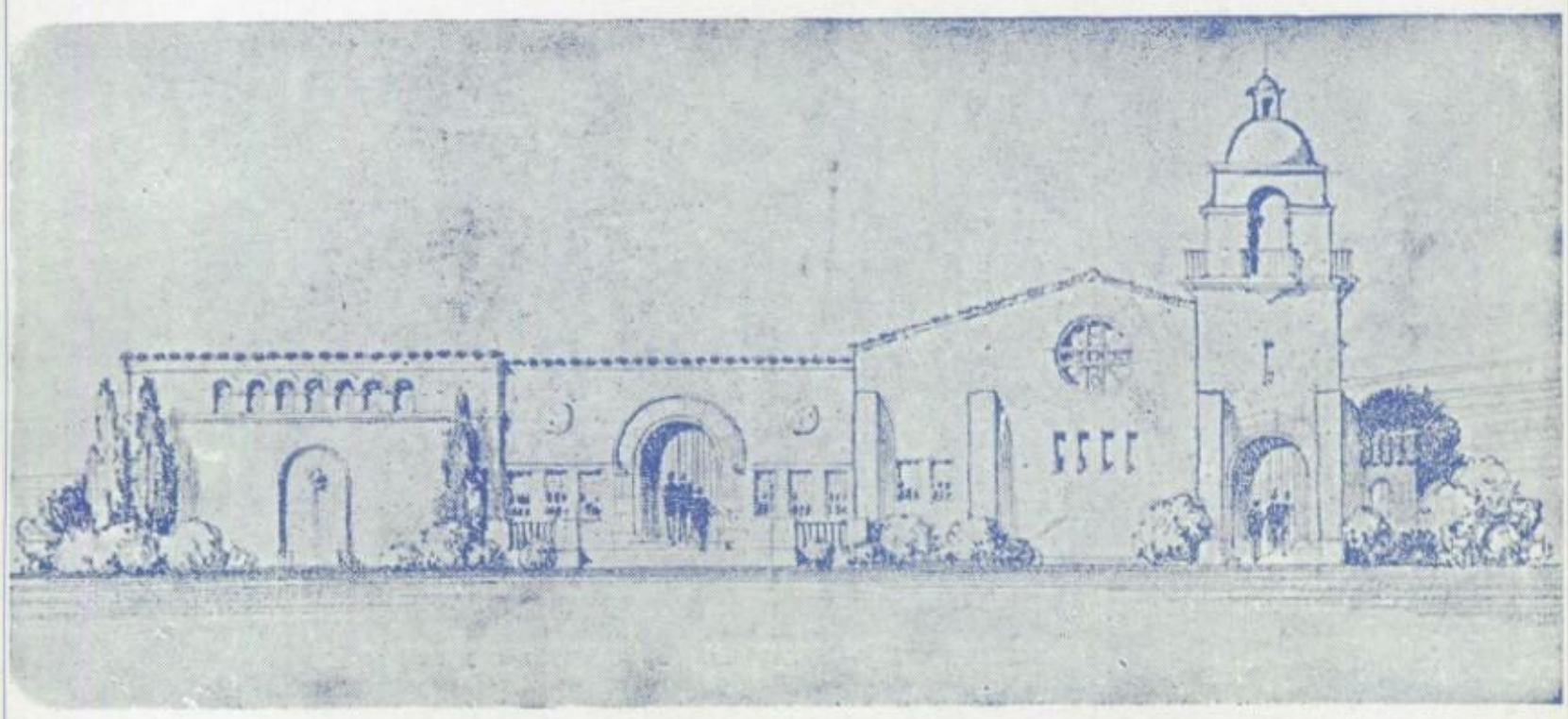

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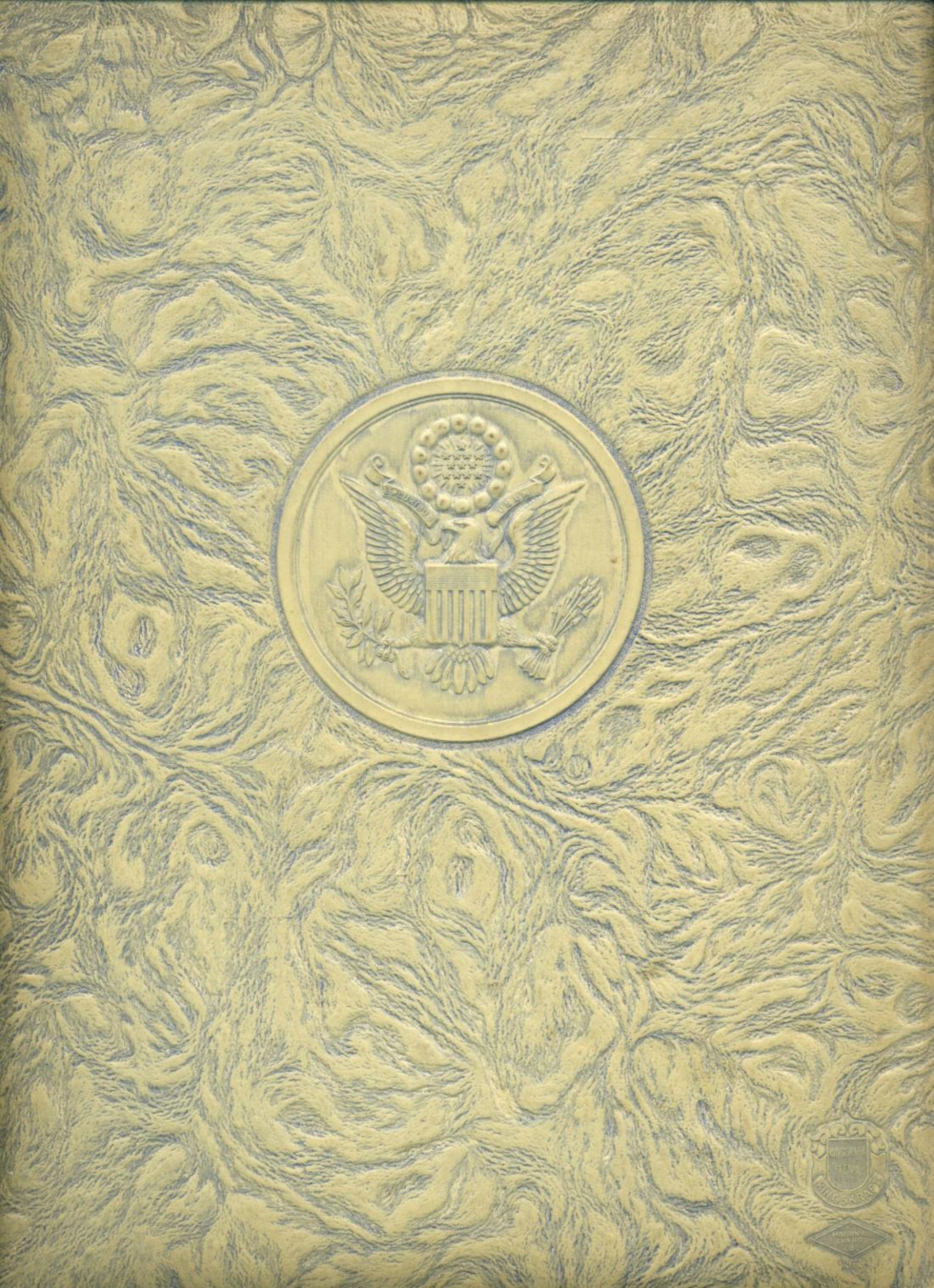
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